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AND TO THE RETURNS OF DEATHS INVESTIGATED BY THE MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

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To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

In conformity with the requirements of the Public Statutes, I have the honor to submit herewith the Forty-fourth Annual Registration Report, relating to the Births, Marriages, and Deaths occurring in Massachusetts and registered in the several cities and towns, during the year ending December 31, 1885; also, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 194, Acts of 1882, and of chapter 379, Acts of 1885, the reports, respectively, relating to Libels for Divorce in the several counties, and to Returns of Deaths, the causes and manner of which have been investigated by the medical examiners during said period.

The editorial remarks forming the preliminary portion of the present report have been prepared by Dr. Frank Wells, and his comments and deductions therein given will be found even more comprehensive and exhaustive than those of the three previous reports which were also edited by him.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY B. PEIRCE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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Page 20, Table 17, for "Parentage" read "Percentage."

Page 29, Table 26, for "1885-1886" read "1855-1885."

FORTY-FOURTH REGISTRATION REPORT.

(1885.)

POPULATION.

The population of Massachusetts, by the State Census of 1885, was 1,942,141, distributed throughout the different counties, as follows: —

TABLE 1. — *Population and Sex, — Census of 1885.*

	Males.	Females.	Population.	Percentages.	
				Males.	Females.
THE STATE, . .	932,884	1,009,257	1,942,141	48·03	51·97
Barnstable, . . .	14,466	15,379	29,845	48·47	51·53
Berkshire, . . .	36,144	37,684	73,828	48·96	51·04
Bristol, ...	75,856	82,642	158,498	47·86	52 14
Dukes, ...	2,006	2,129	4,135	48·51	51·49
Essex, ...	126,011	137,716	263,727	47·78	52·22
Franklin, . . .	18,761	18,688	37,449	50·10	49·90
Hampden, . . .	55,922	60,842	116,764	47 89	52·11
Hampshire, . . .	22,921	25,551	48,472	47·29	52 71
Middlesex, . . .	169,491	187,820	357,311	47·44	52·56
Nantucket, . . .	1,340	1,802	3,142	42·65	57·35
Norfolk, . . .	49,000	53,142	102,142	47·97	52 03
Plymouth, . . .	40,553	41,127	81,680	49·65	50·35
Suffolk, . . .	200,808	220,301	421,109	47·69	52·31
Worcester, . . .	119,605	124,434	244,039	49·01	50·99

As may be seen in Table 1, there were, according to the census, 932,884 males and 1,009,257 females in Massachusetts, representing, as an aggregate, an increase of 8·9 per cent. in the population since 1880, as compared with an advance of 7·9 per cent. during the previous five years. These statistics of sex are equivalent to a proportion of 420 males and 520 females in every one thousand, or, in other words, 108·33 of the latter to every one hundred of the former. Although the excess in the number of living females is thus marked, yet it is interesting to note that, for the past thirty-three years, among children born alive, the males exceeded the females, in the ratio of 105·7 males to every one hundred females.

Of all the counties, Franklin alone exhibits an excess of the male over the female population, by a difference, however, of but twenty-one hundredths of one per cent.

With reference to the nativity of the population (Table 2), it is found that 1,415,274, or 72·8 per cent., were native born. Of this number, the females exceeded the males in all the counties; while, of the 526,867 foreign-born inhabitants, there was an excess of males in Barnstable, Dukes, Franklin and Plymouth.

TABLE 2. — *Population according to Nativity and Sex, — Census of 1885.*

	Native Born.			Foreign Born.		
	Males.	Females.	Totals.	Males.	Females.	Totals.
The State, .	688,284	726,990	1,415,274	244,600	282,267	526,867
Barnstable, .	13,101	14,107	27,208	1,365	1,272	2,637
Berkshire, . .	28,182	29,253	57,435	7,962	8,431	16,393
Bristol, . .	51,640	54,986	106,626	24,216	27,656	51,872
Dukes, . .	1,868	2,001	3,869	138	128	266
Essex, . .	95,756	102,481	198,237	30,255	35,235	65,490
Franklin, . .	15,869	16,070	31,939	2,892	2,618	5,510
Hampden, . .	39,550	42,000	81,550	16,372	18,842	35,214
Hampshire, .	18,063	19,856	37,919	4,858	5,695	10,553
Middlesex, .	123,183	132,704	255,887	46,308	55,116	101,424
Nantucket, .	1,268	1,705	2,973	72	97	169
Norfolk, . .	37,950	40,880	78,830	11,050	12,262	23,312
Plymouth, . .	35,025	35,613	70,638	5,528	5,514	11,042
Suffolk, . .	137,569	142,419	279,988	63,239	77,882	141,121
Worcester, .	89,260	92,915	182,175	30,345	31,519	61,864

By an analysis of Table 3, it may be observed that, while the population of the State had increased 30·37 per cent. between 1865 and 1875, the advance during the period between 1875 and 1885 has been but 17·57 per cent. Barnstable County exhibits practically an equal decrease in ratios for the two decades, Dukes a decrease of 3·07 per cent. for the former, but an increase of 1·57 per cent. for the latter ten-years' period, and Nantucket the largely diminished percentage of 32·58 for the first, and the much smaller one of 1·84 for the last decade. Of the remaining counties, the greatest difference in the rate of increase is observed in Bristol, in favor of the period between 1865 and 1875.

TABLE 3. — *Comparative Population in the Census Years, 1865, 1875, 1885.*

	1865.	1875.	1885.	Ratios of Increase, 1865-1875.	Ratios of Increase, 1875-1885.
THE STATE, .	1,267,059	1,651,912	1,942,141	30·37	17·57
Barnstable, . .	34,610	32,144	29,845	—7·12	—7·15
Berkshire, . .	56,944	68,270	73,828	19.88	8·11
Bristol, . .	89,425	131,087	158,498	46·58	20·91
Dukes, . . .	4,200	4,071	4,135	—3·07	1 57
Essex, . . .	171,034	223,342	263,727	30 58	18 08
Franklin, . .	31,340	33,696	37,449	7·51	11 13
Hampden, . .	64,570	94,304	116,764	46·04	23·82
Hampshire, . .	39,269	44,821	48,472	14·13	8·14
Middlesex, . .	220,384	284,112	357,311	*–	25·76
Nantucket, . .	4,748	3,201	3,142	—32·58	—1·84
Norfolk, . .	116,306	88,321	102,142	*–	15·66
Plymouth, . .	63,107	69,362	81,680	9·91	17·76
Suffolk, . .	208,211	364,886	421,109	*–	15·41
Worcester, . .	162,911	210,295	244,039	29·08	16·04

* No computation has been made on account of the changes in geographical limits.

VITAL STATISTICS.

In the year 1885 there were recorded 48,790 births, 17,052 marriages, and 38,094 deaths; or only 175 more births, but 281 fewer marriages, and 1,104 more deaths than in the preceding year.

The excess of living births over deaths was 10,696, which is 929 less than the same increase in 1884, but, with this exception, the largest since 1874.

The rates for the year are: —

Births, ...	25·12	to 1,000 of estimated population.
Marriages, ...	8·78	" " " " "
Deaths, ...	19·61	" " " " "

This would indicate one child born alive to every 39·8 persons, one married to every 56·9, and one death to every 50·9 living.

* TABLE 4. — *Births, Marriages and Deaths, with the Population and Rates, 1850–1885.*

YEARS.	Population.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.	Excess of Births over Deaths.	Births to 1,000 Persons.	Persons Married to 1,000.	Deaths to 1,000 Persons.	Rate of Increase to 1,000 Persons.	Ratio of Births to Marriages.
1850. .	994,514	27,664	10,345	16,606	11,058	27·82	20·80	16·70	11·12	3·99
1851, .	1,002,003	28,661	11,966	18,934	9,747	28·62	23·88	18·90	9·72	2.77
1852, .	1,027,508	29,802	11,578	18,482	11,320	29·00	22·54	17·99	11·01	2·50
1853, .	1,075,007	30,920	12,828	20,301	10,619	28·76	23·86	18·88	9 88	2·67
1854, .	1,103,351	31,997	13,683	21,414	10,583	29·00	24·80	19·41	9·59	2·49
1855. .	1,132,364	32,845	12,329	20,798	12,047	29·01	21·77	18·37	10·64	2·40
1856, .	1,151,455	34,445	12,265	20,734	13,711	29·91	21.30	18·01	11 90	2·79
1857, .	1,170,862	35,320	11,739	21,280	14,040	30·17	20·05	18·17	12·00	2·88
1858, .	1,190,592	34,491	10,527	20,776	13,715	28·97	17·68	17·45	11 52	2·94
1859, .	1,210,656	35,422	11,475	20,976	14,446	29·26	18·96	17·33	11·93	3·36
1860. .	1,231,067	36,051	12,404	23,068	13,983	29·28	20·15	18·74	10·54	3·14
1861, .	1,238,110	35,445	10,972	24,085	11,360	28·63	17·72	19·46	9·17	2·86
1862, .	1,245,310	32,275	11,014	22,974	9,301	25·92	17·69	18·45	7 47	2·94
1863, .	1,252,500	36,314	10,873	27,751	2,563	24 20	17 36	22·16	2·04	2·75
1864, .	1,259,710	30,449	12,513	28,753	1,726	24 17	19·87	22 80	1·37	2·80
1865. .	1,267,031	30,249	13,051	26,152	4,097	23·87	20·60	20·64	3·23	2·42
1866, .	1,302,989	34,085	14,428	23,637	10,448	26·16	22·15	18·14	8·02	2·61
1867, .	1,339,968	35,062	14,451	22,772	12,290	26·17	21·57	16·99	9·18	2·43
1868, .	1,377,996	36,193	13,856	25,603	10,590	26·26	20·11	18·58	7·68	2·50
1869, .	1,417,103	36,141	14,826	26,054	10,087	25·50	20·92	18 38	7.12	2·61
1870. .	1,457,351	38,259	14,721	27,329	10,930	26·25	20·20	18·75	7·50	2·58
1871, .	1,494,338	39,791	15,746	27,943	11,848	26·63	21 07	18 70	7.93	2·70
1872, .	1,532,264	43,235	16,142	35,019	8,216	28·22	21·07	22·85	5·37	2·75
1873, .	1,571,152	44,481	16,437	33,912	10,569	28·31	20·92	21·58	6·73	2·76
1874, .	1,611,028	45,631	15,564	31,887	13,744	28·32	19·32	19 79	8·53	2·78
1875, .	1,651,912	43,996	13,663	34,978	9,018	26·63	16·54	21·17	5·46	2·83
1876, .	1,651,912	42,149	12,749	33,186	8,963	25·51	15·43	20·09	5·42	3·08
1877, .	1,657,265	41,850	12,758	31,342	10,508	25·25	15·40	18·91	6·34	3·28
1878, .	1,667,200	41,238	12,893	31,303	9,935	24·73	15·47	18.78	5·95	3·23
1879, .	1,717,200	40,295	13,802	31,801	8,494	23·46	16·07	18.52	4·95	3·13
1880. .	1,783,085	44,217	15,538	35,292	8,925	24·80	17·42	19·79	5·01	3·20
1881, .	1,814,824.	45,220	16,768	36,458	8,762	24·91	18·48	20·09	4.82	2·87
1882, .	1,847,128	45,670	17,684	36,785	8,885	24·72	19·09	19·91	4·81	2·72
1883, .	1,880,007	47,285	18,194	37,748	9,537	25 15	19·35	20·07	5·08	2·67
1884, .	1,913,471	48,615	17,333	36,990	11,625	25·41	18·12	19·33	6·08	2·67
1885, .	1,942,141	48,790	17,052	38,094	10,696	25·12	17·56	19·61	5·51	2·81

* In all but census years the rates have been estimated, in order that an approximate comparison may be made.

Table 4 shows the number of births, marriages and deaths, and the variations in rates, for a period of years. The excess of the birth-rate over the death-rate, for 1885, is ·57 less than the excess in 1854, and 2·01 lower than the average for thirty-six years.

TABLE 5. — *Showing Rates for Periods ending with Census Years, 1855–1885.*

	Marriages to 1,000 Persons.	Births to 1,000 Persons.	Deaths to 1,000 Persons.	Excess of Birth-rate over Death-rate.
5 years ending 1855, . .	11·7	28·8	18·7	10·1
5 " " 1860, . .	9·8	29·5	17·9	11·6
5 " " 1865, . .	4·3	25·4	20·7	4·7*
5 " " 1870, . .	10·5	26·1	18·2	7·9
5 " " 1875, . .	9·9	27·6	20·8	6·8
5 " " 1880, . .	8·0	24·8	19·2	5·6
5 " " 1885, . .	9.3	25·1	19·8	5·3
35 " " 1885, . .	9·07	26·75	19·32	7·42

* 8·3, excluding the three years most influenced by the war.

In periods of five years, the excess of our birth-rates over death-rates shows a gradual diminution, that for the period between 1880 and 1885 being the lowest for thirty-five years.

The natural annual rate of increase in the population, as exhibited in Table 6, is much less than in many European countries, with the exception of France and Hungary, although the statistics of the latter for the years 1881 and 1882 are more favorable than in Massachusetts. On the contrary, our marriage-rates are exceeded only in Hungary.

TABLE 6. — *Rates of Births, Marriages and Deaths in Various Countries, 1860–1882.*

COUNTRIES.	Average, 1860-1879.				1880.				1881.				1882.			
	Birth-rate.	Death-rate.	Excess of Birth-rate over Death-rate.	Marriage-rate.	Birth-rate.	Death-rate.	Excess of Birth-rate over Death-rate.	Marriage-rate.	Birth-rate.	Death-rate.	Excess of Birth-rate over Death-rate.	Marriage-rate.	Birth-rate.	Death-rate.	Excess of Birth-rate over Death-rate.	Marriage-rate.
Massachusetts,	26 2	19·7	6·5	18·9	1880, 24·8 1885, 25·1	19·8 19·6	5 0 5·5	17 4 17·6	24·9	20·0	4·8	18·48	24·7	19 9	4.8	19·0
England and Wales,	35·4	22 0	13·4	16 6	34·2	20·5	13·7	14·9	33·9	18·9	15·0	15·1	33·7	19·6	14·1	15·5
Denmark,	31·2	19·7	11·5	15·4	31·8	20·4	11·4	15·2	32·3	18 3	14·0	15·6	32·4	19·5	12 9	15·4
Sweden,	31·2	19·2	12·0	13·6	29·4	18·1	11·3	12·6	29·1	17·7	11·4	12·4	29·4	17·4	12·0	12 7
Austria,	39·9	30·8	9·1	17·2	37·3	29·6	7·7	15·1	38·7	30 6	8·1	19·8	38·9	30 8	8·1	20·3
Prussia,	38·6	26·5	12·1	17·2	37·9	25·5	12 4	15·4	36·9	34·9	12·0	15·3	37·3	25 2	12·1	15 6
Netherlands,	35·4	24·6	10·8	16·2	35·6	23·6	12·0	15·0	34·9	21·5	13·4	14·6	35·3	20·7	14·6	14 3
France,*	26 0	23·6	2·4	15·9	24·5	22·8	1·7	14·9	24·9	22·0	2·9	15·0	24·8	22·2	2·6	14·8
Hungary, †	42·6	38·9	3·7	20·8	42·9	38·6	4·3	18·2	43·7	35·6	8·1	19·8	44·6	36·6	8·0	20 3
Switzerland, ‡	31·6	24·0	7·6	15·3	29·6	21·9	7·7	13·6	29 8	22·4	7·4	13·6	28·8	21·9	6·9	13·6
Italy, §	37·2	29·9	7·3	15·2	33·6	30·5	3·1	13·8	38·0	27·6	10 4	16·2	37 1	27·5	9·6	15·7
Spain, ‖	37·2	29·7	7 5	15·1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
German Empire, ¶	39·8	27·0	12·8	17 7	37·7	26·1	11·6	15.0	37·0	25·4	11.6	14·9	37 2	25·7	11 5	15·3

* For 19 years. † 13 years. ‡ 9 years. § 10 years. ‖ 17 years. ¶ 8 years.

BIRTHS.

While the number of births which took place in 1885 was the largest in any year since 1850, the rate for living births is the lowest, with five exceptions (leaving out the years most influenced by the war), for thirty-four years, and 1·63 below the quinquennial averages for the same period. (Tables 7 and 8.)

TABLE 7.—*Births for Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Born alive	Still-born.	Totals.	YEARS.	Born alive.	Still-born.	Totals.
1866, .	34,085	1,046	35,131	1876, .	42,149	1,274	43,323
1867, .	35,062	1,007	36,069	1877, .	41,850	1,254	43,104
1868, .	36,193	1,050	37,243	1878, .	41,238	1,261	42,499
1869, .	36,141	1,094	37,235	1879, .	40,295	1,261	41,556
1870, .	38,259	1,019	29,278	1880, .	44,217	1,297	45,514
1871, .	39,791	1,390	41,181	1881, .	45,220	1,466	46,686
1872, .	43,235	1,283	44,518	1882, .	45,670	1,485	47,155
1873, .	44,481	1,246	45,727	1883, .	47,285	1,589	48,874
1874, .	45,631	1,469	47,100	1884, .	48,615	1,628	50,243
1875, .	43,996	1,374	45,370	1885, .	48,790	1,589	50,379

The rate for 1884, including still-births, is 25·99, or ·82 for still-births alone, as compared with 24·66 and ·80 for 1884.

TABLE 8. — *Showing Birth-rates 1856–1885.*

YEARS.	Births to 1,000 of Population.		YEARS.	Births to 1,000 of Population.	
1856, . . .	29·91		1871, . . .	26·63	
1857, . . .	30·17		1872, . . .	28·22	
1858, . . .	28·97	29·52	1873, . . .	28·21	27·62
1859, . . .	29·26		1874, . . .	28·32	
1860, . . .	29·28		1875, . . .	26·63	
1861, . . .	28 63		1876, . . .	25·51	
1862, . . .	25·92		1877, . . .	25·25	
1863, . . .	24 20	25·36	1878, . . .	24·73	24·75
1864, . . .	24·17		1879, . . .	23·46	
1865, . . .	23·87		1880, . . .	24·80	
1866, . . .	26·16		1881, . . .	24·91	
1867, . . .	26·17		1882, . . .	24·72	
1868, . . .	26·26	26·07	1883, . . .	25·15	25·06
1869, . . .	25·20		1884, . . .	25 41	
1870, . . .	26·25		1885, . . .	25·12	

Table 9 shows the birth-rates and births, by counties, for a series of years. It will be observed that the rates of increase and decrease depend, to a great extent, upon the nativity of the population; since those counties, which contain the largest foreign-born element, exhibit the greatest advance, while in those, in which the native population predominates, there has been a decrease in rates, or, at least, but a slight gain. Barnstable, with a diminishing number of inhabitants, has suffered the most severely.

TABLE 9. — *Birth-rates, 1865–1880 and 1885, and Births, 1881–1885, by Counties.*

	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.	Whole State.
Population, 1865, . . .	34,610	56,944	89,395	8,948	171,034	31,340	64,570	39,269	220,384	116,306	63,107	208,214	162,912	1,267,031
" 1866, . . .	34,228	58,439	91,944	8,730	176,294	31,595	67,127	40,243	230,253	110,355	63,552	219,457	168,479	1,302,989
" 1867, . . .	33,851	59,975	94,565	8,517	182,134	31,852	69,785	41,242	240,564	104,712	64,001	231,302	174,236	1,339.968
" 1868, . . .	33,478	61,550	97,261	8,309	188,168	32,110	72,549	42,265	251,338	99,350	64,452	243,783	181,191	1,377,996
" 1869, . . .	33,109	63,167	100,034	8,107	194,402	32,372	75,422	43,313	262,593	94,266	64,907	256.950	186.348	1,417,103
" 1870, . . .	32,744	64,827	102,886	7,910	200,843	32,635	78,409	44,388	274,353	89,443	65,365	270,802	192,716	1,457.351
" 1871, . . .	32,623	65,501	107,322	7,778	205,153	32,844	81,357	44,474	276,261	89,218	66,145	287,460	196,110	1,494,338
" 1872, . . .	32,502	66,182	112,825	7,648	209,557	33,055	84,418	44,561	278,215	88,992	66,935	305,121	199,564	1,532,264
" 1873, . . .	32,382	66,871	118,611	7,520	214,054	33,267	87,592	44,647	280,167	88,768	67,735	323,867	203.079	1,571,152
" 1874, . . .	32,263	67,567	124,693	7,395	218,650	33,481	90,886	44,734	282,133	88,544	68,543	343,765	206,655	1,611.028
" 1875, . . .	32,144	68,270	131,087	7,272	223,342	33,696	94,304	44,821	284,112	88,321	69,362	364,886	210,295	1,651,912
" 1876, . . .	32,144	68,270	131,087	7,272	223,342	33.696	94,304	44.821	284,112	88,321	69,362	364,886	210,295	1,651,912
" 1877, . . .	32,020	68,308	131,468	7,308	224,359	33,806	94,776	44,936	285,730	88,714	69,585	365,992	211,091	1,657.265
" 1878, . . .	31,926	68,361	132,057	7,364	225,948	33,979	95,514	45,117	288,258	89,328	69,934	367,720	212,336	1,667,200
" 1879, . . .	31,908	68,665	135,079	7,650	234,001	34,854	99,252	46,033	301,070	93,426	71,703	376,475	218,644	1,717,200
" 1880, . . .	31,897	69,032	139,040	8,027	244,536	36,001	104,142	47,232	317,830	96,507	74,018	387,927	226,897	1,083.085
" 1885, . . .	29,845	73,828	158,498	7,277	263,727	37,449	116,764	48,472	357,311	102,142	81,680	421,109	244,039	1,942,141
Birth-rates, 1865, . .	22·3	23·6	22·1	15 1	21·8	18·2	24·2	21·1	24·4	24 8	20·9	27·5	24 5	23·8
" 1866, . .	23·2	27·7	25·0	16·5	26·3	19·3	28·1	24·1	25·9	28·2	35 5	27 0	26·9	26·1
" 1867, . .	22·0	25·8	25 9	14·9	25·1	18·5	26·4	24·7	25 9	31·1	23 8	27·4	26·8	26·1
" 1868, . .	22·2	27·9	25·0	12·2	24·1	19·6	28·3	23·8	26·4	23·1	24 0	30·9	26·4	26·2
" 1869, . .	20·6	22·3	24·8	11·4	23·8	20 0	25·9	22·1	25·6	25·6	21·8	30·6	25·6	25·5
" 1870, . .	20·4	24·9	26·1	12·5	23·7	19·7	25 1	22·9	27·1	25·2	22·4	31 8	26·0	26 2
" 1871, . .	21·0	27·2	25·6	13·8	24·9	20·0	27.4	22·3	26·4	25 9	22·1	31·3	27·2	26·6
" 1872, . .	20·5	24·7	27·1	15 6	29·4	20·3	27·4	24·5	29·6	27·1	21 6	31·9	27·6	28·2
" 1873, . .	19·0	24·7	28·0	14.7	26·5	22·0	29.9	24 8	30·6	28 3	22·8	31·6	28·5	28·3

" 1874, . .	19·7	24·9	26·1	15·1	26 6	21·9	28·8	23·4	28·3	24·5	22·1	35·7	27 5	28·3
" 1875, . .	20·5	24·6	26·2	16·8	25·6	20·0	27·9	21·3	25·5	25·8	21·2	31·7	26·4	26·6
" 1876, . .	18·8	22 5	24·5	16·3	23·3	18·2	25·9	21 8	25·1	22·9	20·9	30·1	25·9	25 5
" 1877, . .	18·9	22·5	24·1	18·8	23·9	19 5	24·8	21·0	25·8	23 1	20·9	30·2	24 1	25·2
" 1878, . .	18·1	22 0	24·0	16·7	23·7	18·1	23·7	19·8	25·1	22·8	19·1	29.1	25·1	24·7
" 1879, . .	16·9	22·2	21·1	12 1	21·7	18·2	23·9	20·5	23 4	21·4	18·1	28·5	23 5	23·4
" 1880, . .	15·8	23·3	25·6	14·7	23·8	18·0	25·4	20·6	25·3	21·4	18·2	28·8	25·4	24·8
" 1885, . .	17·4	25·7	26·4	14·0	23·0	19·9	29 8	19·7	24·7	22·8	18 7	28 7	24 7	25·1
Births, 1881, . . .	485	1,664	4,093	101	5,864	682	2,585	1,005	8,067	2,141	1,450	11,124	5,959	45,220
" 1882, . . .	506	1,698	3,799	98	5,927	736	2,756	923	8,087	2,229	1,500	11,617	5,794	45,670
" 1883, . . .	508	1,947	4,051	121	6,036	729	3,067	969	8,127	2,222	1,445	11,908	6,155	47,285
" 1884, . . .	504	2,005	4,181	102	6,058	709	3,496	979	8,565	2,267	1,488	12,063	6,198	48,615
" 1885, . . .	518	1,901	4,190	102	6,070	747	3,482	954	8,843	2,329	1,528	12,092	6,034	48,790

In Table 10 may be studied the birth-rates, as affected by the density of the population. The average rates for 1885, in the cities of the State, are very nearly the same as those for the census years since 1865, while the rates for the towns are lower than the average for the same period.

TABLE 10.* — *Birth rates according to Population.*

	Population by Census of 1885.	Birth-rates. 1865.	1870.	1875.	1880.	1885.	Deaths 1885.	Average Death-rate 5 Census Years.
Boston,	390,393	27·42	32 22	33·12	29·14	27·13	11,373	29·80
Worcester,	68,389	31·67	29 97	30 13	30·50	28·62	1,957	30·17
Lowell,	64,107	21·58	22·57	25·98	29·64	27·28	1,749	25 41
Cambridge,	59,658	29·88	32·98	26·17	30·36	27·04	1,613	29 28
Fall River,	56,870	20·82	31·87	32·55	29·23	31·07	1,767	29·11
Lynn,	45,867	26·85	25 96	24 57	22·99	23·79	1,091	24·83
Lawrence,	38,862	27·84	25·41	28·84	25 64	25·40	987	26 62
Springfield,	37,575	24·77	28 31	29·24	24·99	25·76	968	26 61
New Bedford,	33,393	19·46	21·52	21·86	26·42	26·17	874	23 09
Somerville,	29,971	29·82	35·95	33·52	24·78	24·76	742	29 76
Salem,	28,090	11·42	9·41	24·37	24 45	23·15	652	18·56
Holyoke,	27,895	24·07	30 64	35 65	34·13	45·99	1,283	34·09
Chelsea,	25,709	29·71	27·38	26 62	23·37	23·80	612	26·97
Taunton,	23,674	22·18	26·35	24·21	25 55	27·08	641	25.07
Haverhill,	21,795	-	-	-	-	26·24	572	-
Gloucester,	21,703	22·11	37·81	35 75	28·76	27 46	596	30·37
Brockton,	20,783	-	-	-	-	22·33	464	-
Newton,	19,759	23·28	22·85	18 25	18·63	20·10	397	20·62
Malden,	16,407	-	-	-	-	27·91	458	-
Fitchburg,	15,375	-	-	-	-	27·04	416	-
Waltham,	14,609	-	-	-	-	23·48	343	-
Newburyport,	13,716	-	-	-	-	17·79	244	-
Northampton,	12,896	-	-	-	-	22·80	294	-
The 23 cities,	1,087,496	25·71	27·17	29·70	28·19	27·59	30,013	27·67
The rest of the State,	854,645	22·64	25·56	23·77	21 53	21·97	18,777	23·09
The whole State,	1,942,141	23·87	26·25	26 63	24 80	25·12	48,790	25 33
2 towns of popul. 60,000 to 70,000,	132,496	-	-	-	-	27·97	3,706	-
2 towns of popul. 50,000 to 60,000,	116,528	-	-	-	30·16	29·00	3,3 0	-
1 town of popul 40,000 to 50,000,	45,867	-	-	-	29 23	23·79	1,091	-
3 towns of popul. 30,000 to 40,000,	109,830	-	-	-	25·43	25·75	2,829	-
8 " " 20,000 to 30,000,	199,620	-	-	-	26·35	27·41	5,482	-
14 " " 10,000 to 20,000,	190,035	-	-	-	24 65	26·56	5,048	-
32 " " 5,000 to 10,000,	228,523	-	-	-	24·88	23 92	5,468	-
24 " " 4,000 to 5,000,	106,606	-	-	-	22·12	21·55	2,298	-
29 " " 3,000 to 4,000,	103,728	-	-	-	20·52	21 09	2,188	-
54† " " 2,000 to 3,000,	133,250	-	-	-	18 13	19·95	2,659	-
83 " " 1,000 to 2,000,	122,096	-	-	-	16 68	16·84	2,057	-
95 " " less than 1,000,	63,169	-	-	-	17·62	16·59	1,048	-

* For the years 1865-1880 the computation has been made for 16 cities; 3 towns of population, 50,000 to 60,000; 1 town of population, 40,000 to 50,000; 3 towns of population, 30,000 to 40,000; 6 towns of population, 20,000 to 30,000; 17 towns of population, 10,000 to 20,000; 26 towns of population, 5,000 to 10,000; 28 towns of population, 4,000 to 5,000; 32 towns of population, 3,000 to 4,000; 53 towns of population, 2,000 to 3,000; 92 towns of population, 1,000 to 2,000; 83 towns of population, less than 1,000.

† Excluding births in State Almshouse.

The largest proportion of births occurred in August, and in the third quarter of the year. The smallest ratios took place in February, April and June, and in the second quarter.

TABLE 11.—*Births and Birth-rates, by Months and Quarters, 1884-1885.*

	Births registered in each Month.		Births registered in each Quarter.		Monthly Percentage of Births.		Quarterly Percentage of Births.	
	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.
January, .	3,965	3,887			8·2	8·0		
February, .	3,821	3,812	11,890	11,702	7·9	7·8	24 5	24·1
March, .	4,104	4,003			8·4	8·3		
April, .	3,836	3,819			7·9	7·9		
May, . .	4,001	3,959	11,677	11,770	8·2	8·2	24·0	24·3
June, . .	3,840	3,992			7 9	8·2		
July, . .	4,219	4,192			8·7	8·6		
August, .	4,461	4,293	12,926	12,674	9·2	8·8	26·6	26·0
September, .	4,246	4,189			8·7	8·6		
October, .	4,194	4,173			8·2	8·6		
November, .	3,992	4,088	12,292	12,469	8·2	8·2	24 8	25·6
December, .	4,106	4,288			8·4	8·8		
Not stated, .	5	–	–	–	·01	–	·01	–
The year,	48,790	48,615	–	–	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0

TABLE 12. — LIVING BIRTHS. — *By Months, Quarters, and Periods of Six Months. — Fifteen Years.*

YEARS.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.
1871,	3,131	2,883	3,206	2,997	3,063	3,103	3,426	3,710	3,435	3,721	3,407	3,702
1872,	3,104	3,216	3,503	3,248	3,385	3,536	3,857	4,103	3,862	3,860	3,711	3,844
1873,	3,348	3,230	3,616	3,177	2,384	3,571	3,777	4,087	3,974	4,053	4,000	4,261
1874,	3,598	3,252	3,750	3,443	3,686	3,689	4,018	4,266	4,010	4,032	3,871	3,994
1875,	3,305	3,204	3,570	3,391	3,564	3,603	3,820	4,071	3,937	3,838	3,742	3,933
1876,	3,173	3,237	3,605	3,342	3,299	3,343	3,651	3,950	3,564	3,755	3,515	3,690
1877,	3,404	3,127	3,436	3,078	3,146	3,314	3,734	3,854	3,677	3,796	3,607	3,673
1878,	3,181	3,116	3,442	3,172	3,248	3,121	3,525	3,765	3,639	3,776	3,555	3,690
1879,	3,226	3,064	3,322	3,048	3,125	3,275	3,544	3,720	3,372	3,476	3,505	3,612
1880,	3,372	3,369	3,579	3,521	3,708	3,642	3,840	3,921	3,845	3,845	3,791	3,779
1881,	3,641	3,475	3,703	3,567	3,713	3,595	3,949	4,263	3,856	3,827	3,783	3,843
1882,	3,651	3,449	3,808	3,721	3,516	3,614	3,942	4,162	3,970	4,084	3,784	3,966
1883,	3,654	3,465	3,869	3,574	3,662	3,861	4,204	4,323	4,241	4,326	4,033	4,067
1884,	3,887	3,812	4,003	3,819	3,959	3,992	4,192	4,293	4,189	4,173	4,008	4,288
1885,	3,965	3,821	4,104	3,836	4,001	3,840	4,219	4,461	4,246	4,194	3,992	4,106
Av.,	3,443	3,314	3,636	3,396	4,094	3,540	3,726	4,063	3,854	3,918	3,753	3,883
	10,393			11,030			11,643			11,554		
	21,423						23,197					

For the period of fifteen years, from 1870 to 1884, 51·99 per cent. of the births occurred in the last half of the year, 26·09 per cent. in the third quarter, 25·90 per cent. in the fourth quarter, 24·72 per cent. in the second quarter, and 23·29 per cent. in the first quarter.

The largest average number of births took place in August. The order of the remaining months is September, July, October, December, March, May, November, January, June, April, February.

TABLE 13. — *Births. — Proportion of Males to Females. — Thirty-three Years.*

		1884.	1885.	Previous Thirty-two Years.
Born alive,	Males,	24,941	25,053	620,157
	Females,	23,658	23,716	586,544
	Not stated,	16	21	2,512
Males to 100 females,		105·4	105·6	105·7
Still-born,	Males,	906	885	18,992
	Females,	655	637	12,881
	Not stated,	67	67	3,363
Males to 100 females,		138·3	138·9	147·4
Illegitimate,	Males,	462	484	6,414
	Females,	432	419	6,331
	Not stated,	–	–	51
Males to 100 females,		106·9	115·5	101·3

The proportion of male to female children born alive does not vary, practically, from year to year. The ratio among still-births indicates, as might be expected, a much larger number of males, that for 1885 being 138·9 males to every one hundred females.

The excess of illegitimate male births over those of females, — 115·5 of the former to every 100 of the latter, — was unusually large in the past year, and represented an increase of 14·2 per cent. over the average for the previous thirty-two years.

The proportion of male to female births in the various counties varies but little from year to year. The uniformity is particularly noticeable in the State at large. In Berkshire, Hampshire and Norfolk, the statistics for 1885 show a slight excess of females over males, while Barnstable exhibits the largest ratio of male births. In 21 births there was a failure to return the sex.

TABLE 14. — BIRTHS. — *Proportion of Males,* 1863–1885.*

COUNTIES.	1885.		1884.	1883.	1882.	1881.	1880.	1879.	1878.	1863-1877.
	Births.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.	Males. Per cent.
Barnstable,	518	52·9	50·0	51·6	44·8	49·5	53 8	50·0	50·9	51·95
Berkshire,	1,901	49 1	50·4	52·4	52·0	50·6	51·5	50·6	48·2	51·97
Bristol,	4,190	51 8	50·9	51·1	50·7	50 2	51·9	50·2	50·3	51·85
Dukes and Nantucket,	102	51 9	41·7	55·8	46 4	54·0	50·4	51·6	53·7	52·80
Essex,	6,070	51·3	50·2	50·9	50·6	51·2	50·5	50·9	51 4	51·63
Franklin,	747	51·2	52·0	51·3	52·7	53·5	54·1	52·7	50·1	51·52
Hampden,	3,482	51·1	52·5	52·9	50·6	51·5	51·1	51·1	50·5	51 02
Hampshire,	954	49·9	53 2	53·3	52·5	50·6	48·4	50·1	51·6	52·05
Middlesex,	8,843	51·5	51·3	51·0	50·8	50·9	52·4	52·0	52 3	51·25
Norfolk,	2,329	49·8	52·8	53·0	52·2	52·0	50 5	51·6	51·1	51 13
Plymouth,	1,528	51·1	52·3	50·5	50·0	52·7	51·8	51·3	54·6	51·84
Suffolk,	12,092	51·8	51·2	51·1	51·3	50·7	50 8	51·2	51·1	51·00
Worcester,	6,034	51·2	51·7	51·2	51·1	51·2	52·3	51·7	52·2	51·48
The State,	48,790	51 3	51·3	51·5	50·7	51 4	51·4	51·3	51·4	51·40

* Percentages exclude births where the sex was not recorded.

By a reference to Table 15, it will be seen that there were 911 more children born in 1885 of foreign parents than of native. This excess is 105 less than in 1884, but 135 greater than in 1883, and 464 larger than in 1882. The number born with mixed parentage was 8,872, or 201 more than in 1884, and 703 more than in 1883. In Dukes and Nantucket counties there were 7·30 native births to one foreign; in Barnstable, 5·25 to one; in Plymouth, 3·55 to one; in Franklin, 2·03 to one; in Berkshire, 1·51 to one; in Norfolk, 1·49 to one; in Hampshire, 1·37 to one; in Essex, 1·23 to one. In all the above counties there has been an increase in these proportions, as compared with the previous year, except in Dukes and Nantucket, and Hampshire.

In comparison with the statistics for 1882, there has been an aggregate decrease in these ratios, in the counties mentioned, of 14·06 to one. As compared with the record in 1883, this decrease amounts to 5·72 to one, and, as against 1884, to 7·86 to one. In Hampden, however, the births of foreign parentage exceeded those of natives in the proportion of 1·64 to one; in Suffolk, of 1·55 to one; in Bristol, of 1·44 to one; in Middlesex, of 1·06 to one; in Worcester, of 1·04 to one. This indicates, as a rule, a slight increase over the statistics for 1884.

In all the counties there have been gains in the numbers of children born of mixed parentage, with the exception of Suffolk and Worcester. In Hampshire the record is the same for both 1885 and the previous year.

TABLE 15. — *Parentage of the Children born alive in the several Counties of Massachusetts during the Year 1885.*

	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Aggregates,	48,790	518	1,901	4,190	102	6,070	747	3,482	954	8,843	2,329	1,528	12,092	6,034
Both parents native-born,	18,822	378	911	1,395	73	2,704	429	1,076	457	3,390	1,125	1,022	3,456	2,406
" " foreign-born,	19,733	72	602	2,013	10	2,194	211	1,766	332	3,607	752	288	5,386	2,500
Native-born father and foreign-born mother,	4,295	30	174	365	8	554	36	299	80	869	200	99	1,086	495
Foreign-born father and native-born mother,	4,577	33	187	351	5	546	48	305	80	875	229	93	1,254	571
Not stated,	1,363	5	27	66	6	72	23	36	5	102	23	26	910	62

PLURALITY CASES — (Included above.)

		State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Totals,	Aggregates,	765	14	22	48	–	94	8	55	14	150	53	20	166	121
	Males,	377	5	13	28	–	40	5	26	6	70	24	5	92	63
	Females,	388	9	9	20	–	54	3	29	8	80	29	15	74	58
Both parents native-born,	Males,	151	1	6	14	–	14	–	13	3	30	14	3	23	30
	Females,	162	3	4	6	–	26	2	14	1	30	17	13	19	27
Both parents foreign-born,	Males,	163	3	3	8	–	21	5	7	3	29	9	2	50	23
	Females,	157	3	3	10	–	23	1	11	5	33	5	2	36	25

Native-born father,	Males,	32	1	2	3	–	3	–	3	–	4	1	–	9	6
	Females,	26	1	–	3	–	3	–	1	–	4	5	–	5	4
Native-born mother,	Males,	31	–	2	3	–	2	–	3	–	7	–	–	10	4
	Females,	43	2	2	1	–	2	–	3	2	13	2	–	14	2
Not stated,	Males,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Females,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS.—(Included above.)

Totals,	Aggregates,	903	13	18	30	4	76	7	24	5	129	20	14	525	38
	Males,	484	5	9	18	4	39	5	17	1	73	12	11	268	22
	Females,	419	8	9	12	–	37	2	7	4	56	8	3	257	16
Native-born mother,	Males,	241	4	7	8	3	26	3	13	–	30	10	9	112	16
	Females,	219	7	6	7	–	30	2	7	3	23	5	3	112	14
Foreign-born mother,	Males,	221	1	2	10	1	13	2	4	1	42	2	2	135	6
	Females,	179	1	3	5	–	7	–	–	1	33	3	–	124	2
Birth-place of mother not stated,	Males,	22	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	21	–
	Females,	21	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	21	–

TABLE 16. — *Percentage* of American and Foreign Living Births in 1885, and in each of the Previous Twelve Years.*

YEARS.	PARENTS.			Births with Parentage not reported.
	Native-born.	Foreign-born.	One Foreign-born.	
1873,	39·98	48·24	11·78	340
1874,	38·89	48·43	12·68	608
1875,	39·87	46·71	13·42	564
1876,	40·64	45·00	14·36	836
1877,	41·17	44·03	14·80	808
1878,	42·01	42·35	15·64	846
1879,	42·49	41·29	16·22	831
1880,	42·19	41·08	16·73	1,251
1881,	41·62	41·51	16·87	1,447
1882,	42·01	40·55	17·44	1,481
1883,	40·23	41·92	17·85	1,516
1884,	39·73	41·88	18·39	1,460
1885,	39·68	41·61	18·71	1,363

* Excluding births with parentage not reported.

TABLE 17. — *Parentage of American and Foreign Living Births.*

	Average 1849-58.	Average 1859-63.	Average 1864-68.	Average 1869-73.	Average 1874-78.	Average 1879-80.	Average 1881-82.	Average 1883-84.	1885.
American,	56·70	46·06	43·85	40·54	40·52	42·34	41·81	39·98	39·68
Foreign,	40·04	46·89	47·73	48·48	45·30	41·19	41·03	41·90	41·61
One parent for'n,	3·26	7·05	8·42	10·98	14·18	16·48	17·16	18·12	18·71

The percentage of native births (Table 16) was less in 1885 than in any year, with the exception of 1874, since 1873, and 1·13 below the average ratio for the above period. While there has been a quite uniform decrease in the proportions of foreign births during the past thirteen years, there has been, on the contrary, an unbroken yearly advance in the births of mixed parentage, — an increase amounting to 2·94 per cent. over the average ratio. These results may be better studied in Table 17, which presents the statistics for a period of thirty-six years.

TABLE 18. — *Number of Births during each of the Twenty Years, 1866-85, exhibiting the Sex and Parentage.*

	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.
Totals,	34,085	35,062	36,193	36,141	28,259	39,791	43,235	44,481	45,631	43,996
Males,	17,394	17,859	18,571	18,606	19,203	20,289	22,140	22,974	23,657	22,457
Females,	16,603	17,140	17,574	17,500	18,434	19,488	21,066	21,485	21,958	21,513
Unknown,	88	63	48	35	22	14	29	22	16	26
PARENTAGE.										
Native,	15,014	14,696	15,370	15,100	15,563	15,797	16,922	17,647	17,508	17,314
Foreign,	15,989	16,911	16,995	17,229	18,339	19,120	21,112	21,293	21,807	20,289
Native father and foreign mother,	1,316	1,428	1,535	1,613	1,787	1,898	2,099	2,139	2,354	2,418
Foreign father and native mother,	1,482	1,659	1,800	1,945	2,256	2,516	2,765	3,062	3,354	3,411
Not stated,	284	368	493	254	314	460	337	340	608	564

Number of Births, &c. — Concluded.

	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Totals,	42,149	41,850	41,238	40,295	44,217	45,220	45,670	47,285	48,615	48,790
Males,	21,705	21,466	21,199	20,658	22,667	23,014	23,281	24,388	24,941	25,053
Females,	20,410	20,375	20,022	19,623	21,396	22,069	22,292	22,875	23,658	23,716
Unknown,	34	9	17	14	154	137	97	22	16	21
PARENTAGE.										
Native,	16,790	16,897	16,970	16,768	18,130	18,218	18,565	18,412	18,734	18,822
Foreign,	18,590	18,071	17,105	16,298	17,651	18,169	18,012	19,188	19,750	19,733
Native father and foreign mother,	2,448	2,502	2,637	2,723	3,141	3,267	3,462	3,771	4,058	4,295
Foreign father and native mother,	3,485	3,572	3,680	3,665	4,044	4,119	4,150	4,398	4,613	4,577
Not stated,	836	808	846	831	1,251	1,447	1,481	1,516	1,460	1,363

TABLE 19. — *Parentage of Plural Births. — Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Totals.	NATIVE-BORN.		FOREIGN-BORN.		MIXED.		PARENTAGE NOT STATED.	
		Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.
1866, . .	708	295	41·7	347	49·0	64	9·0	2	0.3
1867, . .	681	292	42·9	339	49·8	48	7·0	2	0·3
1868, . .	722	305	42·3	343	47·5	66	9·1	8	1·0
1869, . .	696	288	41·4	320	46·0	86	12·3	2	0·3
1870, . .	697	302	43·3	333	47·8	62	8·9	–	–
1871, . .	739	222	30·0	407	55·1	104	14·1	6	0·8
1872, . .	759	276	36·4	416	54·8	67	8 8	–	–
1873, . .	832	326	39·2	417	50·1	89	10·7	–	–
1874, . .	812	267	32·9	437	53·8	102	12 6	6	0·7
1875, . .	769	277	36·0	418	54·4	72	9·4	2	0·2
1876, . .	702	252	35·9	342	48·7	106	15·1	2	0 3
1877, . .	815	304	37·3	416	51·0	95	11·7	–	–
1878, . .	815	343	42·1	358	43·9	112	13 7	2	0·3
1879, . .	709	276	38·9	328	46 3	103	14·5	2	0·3
1880, . .	771	283	36·7	362	47·0	122	15.8	4	0·5
1881, . .	805	296	36·8	378	46·9	123	15·3	8	1·0
1882, . .	849	343	40·4	354	41·7	140	16·5	12	1·4
1883, . .	803	305	38·0	375	46·7	119	14·8	4	0·5
1884, . .	879	316	35·9	418	47·6	139	15·8	6	0·7
1885, . .	765	313	40·9	320	41·8	132	17·3	–	–

TABLE 20. — *Plural Births. — Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Cases of Twins.	Cases of Triplets.	No. of Living Births to One Case of Twins.	No. of Living Births to One Case of Triplets.
1866, ...	351	2	105	16,865
1867, ...	333	5	103	7,012
1868, ...	352	6	103	6,032
1869, ...	339	6	107	6,023
1870, ...	344	3	111	12,753
1871, ...	362	5	109	7,958
1872, ...	375	3	115	14,412
1873, ...	407	6	109	7,603
1874, ...	400	4	114	11,408
1875, ...	380	3	116	14,665
1876, ...	345	4	122	10,537
1877, ...	398	5	105	8,370
1878, ...	397	7	104	5,891
1879, ...	353	1	114	40,295
1880, ...	381	3	116	14,739
1881, ...	389	9	116	5,024
1882, ...	417	5	109	9,134
1883, ...	394	5	120	9,457
1884, ...	432	5	113	9,723
1885, ...	376	4	130	12,197

Plural Births.—In 1885, 380 women gave birth to 765 children, of which number 753 were twins, and 12 were triplets. This is the smallest number since 1879, although but two less than the average for the past twenty years. The percentage of those born of native parentage was larger than in any year of the previous fourteen, with the exception of 1878. For the foreign-born, the proportion was the smallest, excepting in 1882, since 1866, while the ratio for those with mixed parentage was larger than in any year of the above period.

TABLE 21.—*Illegitimate Births registered in Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	CHILDREN BORN OUT OF WEDLOCK.		YEARS.	CHILDREN BORN OUT OF WEDLOCK.	
	Numbers.	To every 1,000 Births.		Numbers.	To every 1,000 Births.
1866, . .	281	8·2	1876, .	713	16·9
1867, . .	292	8·3	1877, .	697	16 6
1868, . .	366	10·1	1878, .	640	15·5
1869, . .	286	7·9	1879, .	716	17·8
1870, . .	285	7·4	1880, .	778	17·6
1871, . .	432	10 9	1881, .	801	17·7
1872, . .	3[illegible]3	7·0	1882, .	865	18 9
1873, . .	587	13·2	1883, .	899	19·0
1874, . .	648	14·2	1884, .	894	18 4
1875, . .	632	14·4	1885, .	903	18·5

Illegitimate Births.—The number of children born out of wedlock in 1886 was greater than in any of the previous ten years, and represents a ratio to each one thousand births, which is 4 6 per 1,000 larger than the average for twenty years.

TABLE 22. — ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS. — *Nativity of Mothers.* — *Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Total.	NATIVE.		FOREIGN.		NOT STATED.	
		Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.
1866, . .	281	152	54·1	123	43 7	6	2·2
1867, . .	292	167	57·2	119	40·7	6	2·1
1868, . .	366	191	52·2	148	40·4	27	7·4
1869, . .	286	153	53·4	116	40·6	17	6·0
1870, . .	285	154	54·0	111	39·0	20	7·0
1871, . .	432	228	52·8	164	38 0	40	9·2
1872, . .	303	165	54·5	121	39·9	17	5·6
1873, . .	587	306	52·1	269	45 8	12	2·1
1874, . .	648	326	50·3	303	46·8	19	2·9
1875, . .	632	250	39·6	354	56·0	28	4·4
1876, . .	713	377	52·9	270	37·9	66	9·2
1877, . .	697	378	54·2	292	41·9	27	3·9
1878, . .	640	353	55·2	206	32·2	81	12·6
1879, . .	716	429	59·9	225	31·4	62	8·7
1880, . .	778	398	51·2	311	39·9	69	8·8
1881, . .	801	487	60·8	266	33·2	48	6·0
1882, . .	865	484	56·0	334	38·6	47	5·4
1883, . .	899	444	49·4	376	41·8	79	8·8
1884, . .	894	445	49·8	370	41·4	79	8·8
1885, . .	903	460	50·9	400	44 3	43	4·8

The ratio of native-born mothers of illegitimate offspring was 6·7 per cent. lower in 1885 than the average for the past twenty years. This proportion is also smaller than the average percentages for the two decades of the above period, which decades exhibit average ratios of 52·06 per cent. for the first, and 54·09 per cent. for the last ten years.

For foreign-born mothers, the percentage of illegitimacy is 3·7 per cent. higher than the average for the period under discussion, 1·3 per cent. greater than the mean for the first decade, and 6·1 per cent. larger than that for the last ten years.

TABLE 23. — *Ratio of Illegitimate Children born in the Several Counties to the Total Number, — 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Population, 1885.	Numbers.	Percentages.
Barnstable,	29,845	13	1·44
Berkshire,	73,828	18	1·99
Bristol,	158,498	30	3·32
Dukes and Nantucket,	7,277	4	·44
Essex,	263,727	76	8·41
Franklin,	37,449	7	·78
Hampden,	116,764	24	2·66
Hampshire,	48,472	5	·56
Middlesex,	357,311	129	14·29
Norfolk,	102,142	20	2·22
Plymouth,	81,680	14	1·55
Suffolk,	421,109	525	58·13
Worcester,	244,039	38	4·21
THE STATE,	1,942,141	903	100·00

Of the 903 illegitimate births which took place in the State, 58·13 per cent. occurred in Suffolk County, and 14·29 per cent. in Middlesex. Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket, Essex, Hampden, Middlesex, and Norfolk, exhibit the most largely increased proportionate ratios over the record for 1884, while, in the remaining counties, there has been a decrease in these proportions.

TABLE 24. — *Nativity of Illegitimate Births, by Counties, — 1879-85.*

COUNTIES.	1885.							PERCENTAGES. — 1879-1884. AVERAGE.		
	Total Numbers.	NATIVE-BORN MOTHER.		FOREIGN-BORN MOTHER.		NATIVITY NOT STATED.				
		Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Native-born Mother.	Foreign-born Mother.	Nativity not stated.
THE STATE,	903	460	50 94	400	44·30	43	4·76	52·50	39·32	8·17
Barnstable,	13	11	84·61	2	15·39	–	–	97·56	2·44	–
Berkshire,	18	13	61·11	5	38·89	–	–	78·86	20·40	·74
Bristol,	30	15	50·00	15	50·00	–	–	68·11	29·59	2·31
Dukes and Nantucket,	4	3	75·00	1	25 00	–	–	96·43	1·78	1·79
Essex,	76	56	73·68	20	26.32	–	–	70 41	26·85	2·74
Franklin,	7	5	71·42	2	28·58	–	–	76 24	23·76	–
Hampden,	24	20	83·33	4	16·67	–	–	66·40	28·93	4·67
Hampshire,	5	3	60 00	2	40·00	–	–	89·64	10·36	–
Middlesex,	129	53	41·08	75	58·15	1	·77	44·98	51·52	3·50
Norfolk,	20	15	75·00	5	25·00	–	–	72·44	25·47	2·09
Plymouth,	14	12	85·71	2	14·29	–	–	81·47	18·53	–
Suffolk,	525	224	42·67	259	49·33	42	8 00	43·95	44 15	11·90
Worcester,	38	30	78·95	8	21·05	–	–	69.02	23·84	7 14

In Table 24 may be studied the parentage of illegitimate births, by counties, in 1885, and the average for the previous six years. It will be observed that, in Hampden, Norfolk, Plymouth, and Worcester, there has been an increase over the above average, which is most noticeable in Hampden. On the contrary, Essex, Hampden, Norfolk, Plymouth, and Worcester exhibit a decrease in the ratios for those of foreign-born mothers.

With reference to the proportion of illegitimate births in every one thousand (Table 25), Dukes and Nantucket, taken together, present the most unenviable statistics of all the counties. In 1878 this ratio was 65·0, in 1883, 74·4, and, as an average for ten years, 48·3 — the latter proportion being 42·1 per one thousand larger than in Worcester, and 8·6 higher than in Suffolk, which exhibits, next to the counties in question, the worst record.

TABLE 25. — *Proportion of Illegitimate Births to every 1,000 Births, in each County, — 1876–1885.*

	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Average.
THE STATE,	16·9	16·6	15 5	17·8	17·6	17·7	18·9	19·0	18 4	18·5	17·7
Barnstable,	13·1	19·7	10·0	5·5	14·8	22 6	23·7	15·7	15·8	25·1	16·5
Berkshire,	9·1	9·1	9·2	7·8	9·2	6·6	11·8	5·1	11·4	9·4	8·8
Bristol,	11·1	4·7	6·9	9·8	11·7	9 2	9·1	7·2	8 3	7·1	8·5
Dukes and Nantucket,	50 0	36·2	65·0	64·5	33·9	39·6	51 0	74·4	29·4	39·2	48·3
Essex,	7·0	7·2	10·9	13·1	13·4	12·1	11·1	11·4	11·3	12·5	11·0
Franklin,	4 7	19·7	11·3	3·1	6·1	10·2	9·5	5·5	12·7	9·4	9·2
Hampden,	7·3	11·0	8·3	8·0	8·6	7·7	6·9	8·5	6·3	6·9	8·6
Hampshire,	5·1	5·2	7 8	8·4	13·3	9·9	10 8	11·3	11·2	5·3	9·0
Middlesex,	3·9	3·6	13·6	8 7	17·4	16·3	16·4	16·7	12·2	14·6	12·3
Norfolk,	7·9	11·2	8 8	4·4	5·3	7·9	9·4	8·1	6·1	8·6	7·8
Plymouth,	37·1	30·2	11·2	16·6	12·6	14·5	30·0	6·9	9·4	9·1	17·2
Suffolk,	40·7	40·1	31·0	41·7	31 3	38·8	37·7	41·4	44·5	43·4	39·7
Worcester,	4·9	5·8	5·9	7·3	6·2	4·5	9·1	6·3	6 4	6·3	6 2

MARRIAGES.

There were 17,052 marriages recorded in 1885, with a rate of 17·56, or 8·78 marriages to every 1,000 of the population. This indicates one person married to each 56·9 living, as against one in each 57 in 1880, and one in each 60·4 in 1875.

TABLE 26. — *Marriage-rates, — 1885–1886.*

YEARS.	Marriages.	Persons Married to 1,000 Living.	Number Living to One Marriage.	YEARS.	Marriages.	Persons Married to 1,000 Living.	Number Living to One Marriage.
1855, .	13,329	21·77	92	1872, .	16,142	26·07	95
1856, .	12,265	21·30	94	1873, .	16,437	20·92	96
1857, .	11,739	20·05	100	1874, .	15,564	19·32	103
1858, .	10,527	17·68	113	1875, .	13,663	16·54	121
1859, .	11,475	18·96	106	1876, .	12,749	15·43	129
1860, .	12,404	20·15	99	1877, .	12,758	15·40	130
1861, .	10,972	17·72	163	1878, .	12,893	15·47	129
1862, .	11,014	17·69	113	1879, ,	13,802	16·08	124
1863, .	10,873	17·36	115	1880, .	15,538	17·42	114
1864, .	12,513	19·87	101	1881, .	16,768	18·48	109
1865, .	13,051	20·60	97	1882, .	17,684	19·09	105
1866, .	14,428	22·15	90	1883, .	18,194	19·35	102
1867, .	14,451	21·57	93	1884, .	17,333	18·12	110
1868, .	13,856	20·11	99	1885, .	17,052	17 56	114
1869, .	14,826	20 92	96				
1870, .	14,721	20·20	99	Av'ge,	–	18·99	–
1871, .	15,746	21·07	95				

The above rate is 1 50 lower than the average for the past twenty years, and 1·43 below that for the period since 1885. Comparing the statistics for the last two decades, it is found that the rate for the latter is 3·64 less than that for the former.

County Marriages. — By a study of Table 27, it will be seen that the number of marriages, which took place in the State in 1885, was smaller than in any year since 1881. In the counties of Barnstable and Dukes, however, a larger number was solemnized than had been recorded since 1876; while, in Nantucket, the number was smaller, with the exception of 1878, than in any year of the above period. Worcester exhibits fewer marriages than for a period of five years. With reference to the rates, it will be noticed that those for the State were larger in 1885 than for either of the previous two census years. The advance in the rates in Barnstable, Dukes, and Suffolk, and the decrease in Nantucket, are likewise worthy of comment.

TABLE 27. — *Marriages by Counties, 1876–1885, and Marriages to 1,000 Living, 1875, 1880, 1885.*

	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1885.	1880.	1875.
THE STATE,	12,749	12,758	12,893	13,802	15,538	16,768	17,684	18,194	17,333	17,052	8·78	8·71	8·27
Barnstable,	265	254	247	237	224	240	233	275	265	277	9·34	7·02	8·43
Berkshire,	399	440	466	465	497	553	545	617	535	539	7·30	7·20	6·59
Bristol,	1,076	1,083	1,008	1,027	1,160	1,398	1,610	1,569	1,585	1,445	9·12	8·35	8·65
Dukes,	31	35	29	33	38	23	36	37	30	49	11·85	8 83	8·35
Essex,	1,795	1,888	1,814	2,031	2,367	2,319	2,511	2,594	2,400	2,430	9·21	9·68	8·33
Franklin,	246	201	246	265	306	320	319	276	290	282	7·53	8·50	7·45
Hampden,	809	782	751	848	968	1,076	1,122	1,168	1,136	1,080	9·24	9·29	9·56
Hampshire,	330	300	337	378	383	398	389	446	372	358	7·38	8·11	7·43
Middlesex,	2,172	2,245	2,147	2,396	2,664	3,001	3,147	3,200	3,069	3,057	8·55	8·38	7·76
Nantucket,	24	32	18	28	27	24	29	24	28	18	5·72	7·25	8·75
Norfolk,	607	566	618	702	697	744	708	756	743	709	6·94	7·23	6·88
Plymouth,	518	497	510	525	584	646	668	743	710	652	7·98	7·89	7·05
Suffolk,	3,023	2,945	3,065	3,224	3,732	4,045	4,283	4,330	4,211	4,289	10 18	9·63	9·59
Worcester,	1,454	1,490	1,637	1,643	1,891	1,981	2,084	2,159	1,959	1,867	7·65	8·33	7·59

Table 28 shows the marriage-rates, according to population, in the last five census years. The influence of the concentration of the laboring and manufacturing classes in the cities and larger towns, is indicated by the higher marriage-rates which prevail in them. The average rate for the cities of the State is 10·50, whereas for the remaining portions it is but 7·99.

* TABLE 28. — *Marriage-rates according to Population.*

	Population by Census of 1885.	Marriage-rates. 1865.	1870.	1875.	1880.	1885.	Marriages 1885.	Average Death-rate 5 Census Years.
Boston,	390,393	14·17	13·33	9·68	9·61	10·29	4,021	11·41
Worcester,	68,389	10·81	11·97	8·45	9·09	7·73	529	9·61
Lowell,	64,107	13·19	12·83	10·26	12·68	10·45	670	11·88
Cambridge,	59,658	10·44	10·07	8·24	7·38	8·26	493	8·87
Fall River,	56,870	11·95	8·36	9·79	9·58	9·32	530	9 80
Lynn,	45,867	9·61	12·57	8·71	12 12	11·62	532	10·93
Lawrence,	38,862	14 88	13·27	10 89	11·21	9 34	361	11·72
Springfield,	37,575	10·44	11·04	9·69	9·93	9 66	364	10·17
New Bedford,	33,393	13·14	11·77	10·54	9·71	11·71	391	11·37
Somerville,	29,971	4·81	5·51	5·90	7·66	8·64	259	6·50
Salem,	28,090	10·41	8·41	6 78	8·27	9·07	255	8·59
Holyoke,	27,895	24·43	14·53	13·10	11·54	10·71	299	14·86
Chelsea,	25,709	12·42	10·45	8·73	10·42	9·33	240	10·27
Taunton,	23,674	9·80	9 44	7·34	7·12	7 60	182	8·26
Haverhill,	21,795	–	–	–	–	11·10	242	–
Gloucester,	21,703	12·73	13·58	9.25	8·22	11·24	244	11·00
Brockton,	20,783	–	–	–	–	10·04	210	–
Newton,	19,759	6·34	8·50	6·90	7·65	8 09	160	7·49
Malden,	16,407	–	–	–	–	9·44	155	–
Fitchburg,	15,375	–	–	–	–	8·26	127	–
Waltham,	14,609	–	–	–	–	9 65	141	–
Newburyport,	13,716	–	–	–	–	7·94	109	–
Northampton,	12,896	–	–	–	–	7·98	103	–
The 23 cities,	1,087,496	12·58	11·17	9 31	9·69	9·76	10,617	10·50
The rest of the State,	854,645	8·08	9 30	7·28	7·77	7·53	6,435	7·99
The whole State,	1,942,141	10·30	10·10	8·27	8·72	8·78	17,052	9·23
2 towns of popul. 60,000 to 70,000,	132,496	–	–	–	–	9·00	1,199	–
2 towns of popul. 50,000 to 60,000,	116,528	–	–	–	9·82	8·78	1,023	–
1 town of popul. 40,000 to 50,000,	45,867	–	–	–	9·58	11 62	532	–
3 towns of popul. 30,000 to 40,000,	109,830	–	–	–	11 14	10·16	1,116	–
8 " " 20,000 to 30,000,	199,620	–	–	–	9·09	9·83	1,931	–
14 " " 10,000 to 20,000,	190,035	–	–	–	8·40	8·30	1,578	–
32 " " 5,000 to 10,000,	228,523	–	–	–	8·00	7·87	1,798	–
24 " " 4,000 to 5,000,	106,606	–	–	–	7·61	7·94	847	–
29 " " 3,000 to 4,000,	103,728	–	–	–	7·63	6·93	719	–
54 " " 2,000 to 3,000,	133,250	–	–	–	7·63	6·87	916	–
83 " " 1,000 to 2,000,	122,096	–	–	–	7·00	7·32	894	–
95 " " less than 1,000,	63,169	–	–	–	7·62	7·11	449	–

* For the years 1865–1880 a similar computation has been made as in Table 10.

TABLE 29. — *Marriages by Months and Quarters, 1885.*

MONTHS.	Marriages registered in each Month.	Marriages registered in each Quarter.	Quarterly Percentage of Total Marriages.
January,	1,406		
February,	1,221	3,362	19·72
March,	735		
April,	1,454		
May,	1,258	4,390	25·75
June,	1,678		
July,	1,157		
August,	1,096	3,915	22·96
September,	1,662		
October,	1,894		
November,	2,051	5,384	31·57
December,	1,439		
Unknown,	1	–	–
The four quarters,	17,052	–	100·00

TABLE 30.—*Marriages given Quarterly for Ten Years.*

YEARS.	1st Quarter.		2d Quarter.		3d Quarter.		4th Quarter.	
	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.
1876, . . .	2,850	22·35	3,201	25·11	2,811	22·05	3,887	30·49
1877, . . .	2,590	20·32	3,337	26·18	2,866	22·49	3,952	31·01
1878, . . .	2,953	22·95	3,229	25·10	2,808	21·83	3,876	30·12
1879, . . .	2,921	21·18	3,445	24·98	2,948	21·38	4,476	32·46
1880, . . .	3,254	21·00	4,019	25·82	3,442	22·20	4,810	30·98
1881, . . .	3,481	20·77	4,294	25·62	3,716	22·17	5,271	31·44
1882, . . .	3,614	20·45	4,590	25·98	3,835	21·70	5,632	31·87
1883, . . .	3,732	20·52	4,644	25·53	4,222	23·21	5,572	30·74
1884, . . .	3,674	21·19	4,424	25·54	3,916	22 59	5,317	30·68
1885, . . .	3,362	19·72	4,390	25·75	3,915	22·96	5,384	31·57
Average, .	3,243	21·04	3,957	25·56	3,448	22·26	48,178	31·14

As usual, the largest number of marriages took place in November and in the fourth quarter of the year; the smallest number occurred in March and in the first quarter. The great difference in the percentages for the first and fourth quarters is worthy of notice, the ratio for the former being the smallest for ten years.

TABLE 31. — *Ages at Marriage of 17,044 Men and of 17,033 Women, in 1885.*

	Under 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 to 80.	Over 80.	Unknown.
Men, ...	350	5,968	5,650	2,226	1,164	584	418	257	161	126	80	39	16	5	8
Women, ...	2,831	7,518	3,858	1,354	716	337	202	104	58	33	15	7	–	–	19
Ages at Marriage of 14,489 Bachelors and of 15,383 Maids.															
Bachelors, ...	350	5,909	5,397	1,804	665	208	95	36	14	7	4	–	–	–	6
Maids, ...	2,824	7,398	3,548	981	387	135	59	35	12	3	–	1	–	–	14
Ages at Marriage of 2,553 Widowers and of 1,648 Widows.															
Widowers, ...	–	57	253	422	499	376	323	221	147	119	76	39	16	5	–
Widows, ...	5	120	310	373	329	202	143	69	46	30	15	6	–	–	3

The approximate average age of 17,044 men married in 1885 was . . . . . 28·05
" " " " of 17,033 women married in 1885 was . . . . . 25·30
" " " " of 14,489 men marrying for the first time in 1885 was . . . 26·76
" " " " of 15,383 women marrying for the first time in 1885 was . . . 21·23

TABLE 32.—*Average Ages at Marriage, 1871–1885.*

YEARS.	Average Age of all Bridegrooms.	Average Age of all Brides.	Average Age of Men marrying for the First Time.	Average Age of Women marrying for the First Time.
1871, . . .	28·6	24·6	26·3	23·5
1872, . . .	28·6	24·7	26·3	23·4
1873, . . .	28·7	24·8	26·3	23·5
1874, . . .	28 8	25·3	26·2	23·6
1875, . . .	28·9	25·0	26·3	23·6
1876, . . .	28·2	25·3	26·5	23·7
1877, . . .	28·2	25·2	26·4	23·8
1878, . . .	28·2	25·0	26·5	23·8
1879, . . .	28·2	25·2	26·7	23·9
1880, . . .	28·9	25·1	26 5	23·8
1881, . . .	28·8	25·1	26·5	23 9
1882, . . .	29·2	25·4	26·5	23·9
1883, . . .	28·8	25·3	24·3	23·4
1884, . . .	29·1	25·1	26·6	24·1
1885, . . .	28·1	25·3	26·8	21·2

Tables 31 and 32 show the average ages at marriage in 1885, and for a series of years. Although their uniformity from year to year is very striking, yet the average for maids was noticeably less in 1885 than in any of the previous fourteen years.

The number of first marriages which took place during the past year was 227 less, and that of second marriages 61 smaller than in 1883.

Thirteen thousand seven hundred and thirty-eight bachelors married maids and 757 married widows; 1,659 widowers married maids and 821 married widows. There were 2,553 widowers married and 1,651 widows.

Thirty-five per cent. of the males and 44·1 per cent. of the females were married between the ages of 20 and 25; 33·1 per

cent. of the males and 22·6 per cent. of the females, between 25 and 30; 2·1 per cent. of the males and 16·6 of the females, under 20. In 8 marriages of males and 19 of females the ages were not reported.

Six hundred and eighty-four men and 217 women were married over 50 years old; 21 men over 75, and 5 men over 80.

TABLE 33. — *Social or Conjugal Condition of Persons Married, 1885.*

MALES.	Whole No. of Marriages.	FEMALES.				
		First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Unknown.
Whole number, .	17,052	15,397	1,565	80	6	4
First marriage, .	14,495	13,738	744	13	–	–
Second marriage, .	2,305	1,547	720	34	4	–
Third marriage, .	225	104	91	29	1	–
Fourth marriage, .	21	8	8	4	1	–
Fifth marriage, .	2	–	2	–	–	–
Unknown, . .	4	–	–	–	–	4

TABLE 34. — *Percentages of First and Subsequent Marriages, 1871–1885.*

		First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Fifth Marriage.	Sixth Marriage.	Not stated.
1871	Males, .	84·21	14·14	1·39	·13	·01	–	·11
	Females, .	89·37	10·07	·43	·01	–	–	.11
1872	Males, .	84·96	13 39	1·46	·06	01	–	·12
	Females, .	89·15	10·27	·45	·01	–	–	·12
1873	Males, .	84·48	14·08	1·23	·08	·01	·01	·11
	Females, .	89·30	9·25	1 33	·01	–	–	·11
1874	Males, .	83·88	14·46	1·47	·09	·01	–	·09
	Females, .	89·22	10·18	·50	·01	–	–	·09
1875	Males. .	83·03	14·90	1·75	·12	·05	–	·15
	Females,	88·66	10 48	68	·03	–	–	·15
1876	Males, .	82·28	15·92	1·55	·12	·02	–	·11
	Females, .	88·06	11·28	·51	·03	·01	–	·11
1877	Males, .	82·49	15·43	1·73	·17	·02	–	·16
	Females, .	88·66	10·60	·55	·03	–	–	·16
1878	Males, .	82·38	15·93	1·31	·14	·03	–	·21
	Females, .	88·63	10·57	·56	·03	–	–	·21
1879	Males, .	83 02	15·51	1·26	·10	·02	·01	·08
	Females, .	89·62	9·78	·46	·06	–	–	·08
1880	Males, .	84·44	14·07	1·25	·12	–	–	·11
	Females, .	89·81	9·57	·47	·02	–	–	·12
1881	Males, .	84·58	14·00	1·25	·10	·01	–	·06
	Females, .	90·51	8·82	·57	·04	–	–	·06
1882	Males, .	84 70	13·69	1·33	·16	·02	–	·10
	Females, .	90·22	9·15	·48	·04	–	–	10
1883	Males, .	84·41	14·16	1·28	·10	·02	–	·01
	Females, .	89·58	9·56	·50	·01	·005	–	·01
1884	Males, .	84·88	13·79	1·16	.12	·005	–	·04
	Females,	90·14	9 39	·42	·01	–	–	·04
1885	Males, .	85 01	13·52	1·32	·12	·01	–	·02
	Females, .	90·30	9·18	·47	·03	–	–	·02

One woman was married, in 1885, at 13 years of age, 3 at 14, and 11 at 15.

One bachelor at 60 married a maid at 21, and one bachelor at 29, a widow at 66. Five widowers at 70, 71, 72, 73 and 74, respectively, married maids at 37, 55, 21, 29 and 47. One male at 81 married a woman at 68, being the second marriage of both. One male at 27, for the third time, married a maid at 25; while one male at 30, having been previously married three times, married a maid at 22. One marriage took place in which both the male and the female had been previously married three times, and two marriages occurred in which the male had been already married five times.

TABLE 35. — *Certain Marriages, 1885.*

First Marriage of both Parties.			First Marriage of both Parties — Con.			1st Male. 2d Female.		2d Male — Con. 1st Female — Con.	
Ages.		No. of Couples.	Ages.		No. of Couples.	Ages.		Ages.	
Ma.	Fe.		Ma.	Fe.		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
16	16	2	24	17	34	18	23	28	17
16	17	1	25	15	–	18	26	28	18
17	16	2	25	16	6	19	28	30	17
17	17	2	25	17	24	20	19	34	16
17	18	3	25	36	–	20	23	34	17
17	19	4	26	13	–	20	24	38	18
17	20	–	26	15	2	20	26	40	20
17	25	–	26	16	6	20	39	43	19
18	15	–	26	17	7	22	37	46	22
18	16	8	27	16	5	24	18	45	15
18	17	17	27	17	15	25	42	45	20
18	18	16	27	40	–	27	21	48	19
18	19	11	28	16	7	28	58	50	24
18	20	8	28	17	12	29	18	52	19
18	21	4	28	41	–	29	66	55	25
18	22	4	28	45	2	32	52	57	18
18	23	4	29	16	3	33	43	59	20
18	25	–	29	17	5	52	26	60	30
19	13	–	29	19	–	60	26	63	23
19	15	4	29	42	–			65	28
19	16	16	29	48	–			66	19
19	17	29	30	16	5			69	28
19	18	68	30	17	8			70	37
19	19	64	30	18	–			71	55
19	20	23	31	16	2			72	21
19	21	23	31	17	2			73	29
19	22	9	31	58	–			74	47
19	23	5	32	16	2				
19	24	3	34	16	–				
19	25	2	34	17	2				
19	28	–	34	52	–				
20	14	3	35	17	–				
20	15	2	36	19	–				
20	16	14	37	16	–				
20	17	32	37	17	–				
20	18	80	37	19	–				
20	19	79	38	17	–				
20	20	72	39	19	–				
20	21	30	40	16	–				
20	22	25	40	20	–				
20	23	19	40	24	–				
20	24	10	41	18	–				
20	25	6	43	24	–				
20	26	5	44	18	–				
20	27	5	44	20	–				
20	29	–	45	15	–				
21	14	3	45	20	–				
21	15	5	45	23	–				
21	16	23	47	16	–				
21	17	62	50	23	–				
22	14	–	50	30	–				
22	15	4	52	19	–				
22	16	20	53	27	–				
22	17	46	55	26	–				
22	32	–	56	25	–				
22	38	–	60	21	–				
23	15	2	65	32	–				
24	16	13	72	57	–				

1st Male. 3d Female.		2d of Both.	
Ages.		Ages.	
Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
26	26	23	21
28	38	30	46
29	34	32	43
37	29	37	23
35	37	48	64
35	43	54	38
37	29	55	26
37	54	58	31
		63	74
		70	35
		73	71
		74	59
		76	53
		78	61
		79	68
		81	68

2d Male. 1st Female.	
Ages.	
Male.	Female.
22	28
23	37
28	15

TABLE 35. — *Certain Marriages, 1885* — Concluded.

2d Male.
3d Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
39	41
43	41
43	71
45	55
48	34
50	40
54	43
59	39
60	38
62	34
63	65
66	45
68	58
73	44
75	60
77	74

2d Male.
4th Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
43	48
52	46
59	48
66	47
69	60

3d Male.
1st Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
27	25
29	25
36	18

3d Male — Con.
1st Female — Con.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
41	17
49	19
55	23
66	30
72	37
75	71
79	49
80	53

3d Male.
2d Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
35	36
38	30
42	27
46	26
47	23
55	27
56	28
59	59
61	46
68	41
70	43
73	65
74	58
75	35
82	57

3d of Both.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
36	46
43	51
45	27
47	47
54	49
57	43
58	59
59	49
63	66
64	50
73	47
75	57

3d Male.
4th Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
68	71

4th Male.
1st Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
30	22
35	30
55	38
60	48
70	35

4th Male.
2d Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
40	28
49	37
58	36
61	25
69	58

4th Male.
3d Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
54	40
67	52
71	51
71	58

4th of Both.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
70	57

5th Male.
2d Female.

Ages.	
Male.	Female.
66	56
80	40

TABLE 36. — *Certain Marriages, 1885.*

AGE OF MALES.		AGE OF FEMALES.																		
		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	35	39
	1,137	2	8	27	151	354	167	159	104	57	38	29	14	10	6	5	2	2	1	1
16	3	–	–	–	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
17	13	–	–	–	2	2	3	4	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
18	75	–	–	1	8	17	16	11	8	4	4	4	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
19	250	1	–	4	16	29	68	64	23	23	9	5	3	2	–	–	2	1	–	–
20	388	–	3	2	14	32	80	80	72	30	25	20	11	6	5	5	–	1	1	1
21	93	–	3	5	23	62	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
22	71	–	1	4	20	46	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
23	56	–	1	4	12	39	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
24	49	–	–	2	13	34	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25	31	–	–	1	6	24	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
26	26	1	–	2	6	17	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
27	20	–	–	–	5	15	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
28	20	–	–	1	7	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

AGE OF MALES. 29	8	–	–	–	3	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
30	15	–	–	–	5	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
31	4	–	–	–	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
32	2	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
34	5	–	–	–	2	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
35	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
37	2	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
38	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
40	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
41	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
45	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
47	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE 37. — *Marriages according to Nativity — Percentages for Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Both Parties Native-born.	Both Parties Foreign-born.	Native-born Groom and Foreign-born Bride.	Foreign-born Groom and Native-born Bride.	Not stated.
1866, . . .	58·81	27·84	5·32	6·51	1·52
1867, . . .	58·39	28·96	5·40	6·31	·94
1868, . . .	58·10	29·08	5·41	6·94	·47
1869, . . .	57·48	29·26	5·24	7·58	·44
1870, . . .	56 79	29·01	6·12	7·98	·10
1871, . . .	55·71	29·37	6·24	8·50	·18
1872, . . .	53·89	30·76	6·85	8·42	08
1873, . . .	53·26	31·12	6·56	8 99	·07
1874, . . .	53 64	29·29	6·88	9·08	·15
1875, . . .	57·03	27·09	7·05	8·82	·01
1876, . . .	58 43	25·52	7·55	8·32	·18
1877, . . .	60·00	22·76	8·00	9·11	·13
1878, . . .	61·38	21·52	8·34	8·64	·12
1879, . . .	62·19	20·23	8·29	9·23	·06
1880, . . .	60·15	21 77	8·97	9·09	·02
1881, . . .	58·12	23·36	9·97	8·52	.03
1882, . . .	55·74	25·56	9·86	8·81	·03
1883, . . .	54·98	26·13	9·99	8 85	·05
1884, . . .	52·89	27·37	10·84	8 88	·02
1885, . . .	53·21	26 55	11·04	9 17	·03

TABLE 38. — *Proportion of Native to Foreign-born Persons Married.**

YEARS.	Native-born.	Foreign-born.	YEARS.	Native-born.	Foreign-born.
1866, . .	65·73	34·27	1876, . .	66·49	33·51
1867, . .	64·85	35·15	1877, . .	68·64	31·36
1868, . .	64 58	35 42	1878, . .	69·95	30·05
1869, . .	64·17	35·83	1879, . .	70·99	29·01
1870, . .	63·89	36·11	1880, . .	69·19	30·81
1871, . .	63·19	36·81	1881, . .	67·38	32·62
1872, . .	61·57	38·43	1882, . .	65·10	34·90
1873, . .	61·08	38·92	1883, . .	64·43	35·57
1874, . .	62·67	37·33	1884, . .	62·76	37·24
1875, . .	64·96	35·04	1885, . .	63·34	36·66

* Percentages exclude marriages where the nativity was not recorded.

TABLE 39. — *Proportion of Native to Foreign-born Persons Married, by Counties, 1876–1885.*

YEARS.		STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Nantucket.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
1876	Native-born, .	66·49	89·81	73·68	59·36	93·55	71·86	86·47	65·14	75·91	70·12	95·83	72·65	87·04	54·64	69·51
	Foreign-born, .	33·51	10·19	26·32	41·64	6·45	28·14	13·53	34·86	24·09	29·88	4·17	27·35	12·96	45·36	30·49
1877	Native-born, .	68·64	85·82	81·09	61·74	92·85	73·91	82·00	63·59	79·66	66·51	100·00	76·67	86·08	58 86	71·45
	Foreign-born, .	31·36	14·18	18·91	38·26	7·15	26·09	18·00	36·41	21·34	33·49	–	23 33	13·92	41·34	28·55
1878	Native-born, .	69·95	91·09	73·35	61·76	89·66	74·18	87·34	69·16	78·33	69·48	94·44	76·37	88·48	58·72	78·10
	Foreign-born, .	30·05	8·91	26·65	38·24	10·34	25·82	12·66	30·84	21·67	31·52	5·56	23·63	11·52	41·28	21·90
1879	Native-born, .	70·99	94·09	80·86	65·14	81·81	69·27	87·17	67·99	80·16	69·64	89·28	77·92	91·22	61·70	72 54
	Foreign-born, .	29·01	8·91	19·14	34·86	18·19	30·73	12·83	32·01	19·84	30·36	11·72	22·08	8·78	38·30	27·46
1880	Native-born, .	69·19	89·33	73 38	60 25	84·21	71·35	82·89	67·35	81 20	69·03	96·29	79·34	89·34	60 61	71·55
	Foreign-born, .	30·81	10·27	26·62	39·75	15·79	28·65	17·11	32·65	18·80	30·97	3·71	20·66	10·66	39·39	28·45

1881	Native-born, .	67·38	89·16	74·30	60·80	95·65	72·03	79·69	62·73	76·32	66·56	91·66	74·19	88·23	58 64	69·59
	Foreign-born, .	32·62	10 84	25·70	39·20	4·35	27·97	20 31	37·27	23·68	33·44	8·34	25·91	11 77	41·36	30·41
1882	Native-born, .	65·10	87·12	73 52	56·30	88·88	68·61	79·93	61·64	77·37	65·41	93·10	72·77	85·92	55·38	67·25
	Foreign-born, .	34·90	12·88	26·48	43·70	11·12	31·39	20·07	38·36	22·63	34·59	6·90	27·23	14·08	44·62	32·75
1883	Native-born, .	64·43	87·82	70·67	62·33	95·94	67·63	84·24	62·59	74·55	62·36	100·00	74·73	84·32	54·37	66 03
	Foreign-born, .	35·47	12·18	29·33	36·67	4·06	32·37	15·76	37 41	25·45	37·64	–	25·27	15·64	45 63	33·97
1884	Native-born, .	62 76	87·54	71·22	54·57	93·33	66·96	80·00	58·97	73·66	60·77	85·71	72·27	82·51	53·34	67·89
	Foreign-born, .	37·24	12·46	28·78	45·43	6·67	33·04	20·00	41·03	26·34	39·23	14·28	27·73	17·49	46·66	32·11
1885	Native-born, .	63·34	89·70	76·72	56·58	87·55	66·59	84·87	61·76	74·09	61·49	97·22	68 61	82·28	53·99	64 27
	Foreign-born, .	36·66	10·30	23·28	43·42	13·45	33·41	15·13	38·24	25·91	38·51	2·78	31·39	17·72	46·01	35·73

In Table 37 are shown the proportions of marriages by nativity for a series of years.

Table 38 exhibits the relative ratios of native to foreign marriages during the past twenty years.

In Table 39 may be studied the ratios of the nativity of persons married, by counties, for ten years.

DIVORCES.

There are nine statute causes for which divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be granted in Massachusetts, as follows: —

Adultery.

Impotency.

Sentence to imprisonment at hard labor for five years or more.

Desertion for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of the libel.

Separation without consent, refusal to cohabit, and union for three years with a religious sect or society holding the relation of husband and wife unlawful.

Extreme cruelty.

Gross and confirmed habits of intoxication.

Cruel and abusive treatment.

Neglect to provide.

Of these causes, the one relating to union with a religious sect holding the relation of husband and wife unlawful is practically inoperative, since no divorces have been granted upon this ground for the past twenty-two years at least.

Although the first statute referring to divorce was passed in 1786 — five and one-half years after the first legislature had met under the Constitution of Massachusetts — it was not until 1870 that the nine causes mentioned above were completed by the addition of *gross and confirmed habits of intoxication* as a ground upon which a full divorce might be granted.

The sudden variations noticeable in the statistics of certain years, recorded in the following tables, are mostly due to changes in the laws defining the statutes.

TABLE 40. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

THE STATE.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	112	122	234	58	84	142	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	2	2	1	-	1	171	221	392
1867,	72	107	179	26	54	80	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	5	5	1	1	2	99	183	282
1868,	72	121	193	26	102	128	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	3	3	-	1	1	98	241	339
1869,	82	106	188	44	84	128	-	-	-	-	12	12	-	-	-	-	6	6	-	4	4	1	-	1	127	212	339
1870,	86	133	219	51	88	139	-	1	1	-	11	11	-	3	3	-	4	4	1	1	2	-	-	-	138	241	379
1871,	64	100	164	59	82	141	-	1	1	-	4	4	-	4	4	-	7	7	-	1	1	1	2	3	124	201	325
1872,	73	94	167	46	105	151	-	3	3	-	13	13	-	3	3	-	3	3	-	2	2	-	1	1	119	224	342
1873,	72	108	180	64	128	192	6	27	33	-	23	23	-	8	8	-	6	6	-	7	7	-	-	-	142	307	449
1874,	82	91	173	97	187	284	8	65	73	-	56	56	-	27	27	-	32	32	-	2	2	-	-	-	187	460	647
1875,	68	64	132	131	123	254	9	82	91	-	46	46	-	35	35	-	14	14	-	3	3	1	1	2	209	368	577
1876,	46	71	117	78	139	217	4	86	90	-	45	45	-	36	36	-	18	18	-	2	2	-	-	-	128	397	525
1877,	64	79	143	70	144	214	3	71	74	-	59	59	-	54	54	-	7	7	-	2	2	-	-	-	137	416	553
1878,	77	71	148	100	150	250	5	81	86	-	43	43	-	53	53	-	11	11	-	7	7	-	2	2	182	418	600
1879,	62	69	131	87	177	264	8	59	67	-	29	29	-	41	41	-	12	12	-	2	2	-	-	-	157	389	546
1880,	78	75	153	86	178	264	10	52	62	-	30	30	-	59	59	-	7	7	1	2	3	2	-	2	177	403	580
1881,	47	57	104	73	124	197	9	33	42	-	16	16	-	36	36	-	12	12	-	2	2	-	-	.	129	280	409
1882,	50	67	117	75	183	258	5	68	73	-	28	2	-	24	24	-	12	12	-	3	3		-	-	130	385	515
1883,	86	71	157	98	223	321	9	74	83	-	29	29	-	50	50	-	13	13	-	1	1	1	-	1	194	461	655
1884,	81	82	163	110	168	278	11	68	79	-	22	22	1	57	58	-	9	9	1	3	4	-	1	1	204	410	614
1885,	81	70	151	117	189	306	10	76	86	3	32	35	2	53	55	-	5	5	-	5	5	1	2	3	214	432	646
Totals,	1,455	1,758	3,213	1,496	2,712	4,208	97	847	944	3	522	525	3	543	546	-	197	197	3	59	62	9	11	20	3,066	6,649	9,715

TABLE 41. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes
1866,	2	1	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	5
1867,	1	2	3	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	5
1868,	2	2	4	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8
1869,	1	1	2	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	5
1870,	2	-	2	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	4
1871,	-	1	1	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	4
1872,	4	-	4	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	8
1873,	-	2	2	2	5	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7	9
1874,	3	3	6	3	13	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	16	22
1875,	-	-	-	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	3	4
1876,	3	4	7	1	8	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	12	16
1877,	-	2	2	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5
1878,	-	2	2	2	3	7	-	-	-	-	2	2	4	7	11
1879,	1	2	3	3	10	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	12	15
1880,	3	-	3	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	3	9
1881,	2	2	4	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	7	10
1882,	-	1	1	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	7	7
1883,	-	-	-	2	5	7	-	1	1	-	3	3	2	9	11
1884,	2	-	2	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	2	2	5	5	10
1885,	2	2	4	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	11	13
Totals,	28	27	55	29	85	114	-	1	1	-	11	11	57	124	181

TABLE 42. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	4	3	7	2	4	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	13
1867,	-	5	5	3	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	9
1868,	2	5	7	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	7	11
1869,	5	5	10	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	16
1870,	1	10	11	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	10	13
1871,	1	6	7	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8	10
1872,	1	9	10	3	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	11	15
1873,	1	6	7	6	6	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	13	20
1874,	2	6	8	2	9	11	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	19	23
1875,	3	3	6	4	3	7	-	3	3	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	7	15	22
1876,	2	3	5	2	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	13	17
1877,	3	3	6	-	6	6	-	5	5	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	19	22
1878,	-	1	1	1	6	7	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	12
1879,	1	3	4	3	5	8	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	12	16
1880,	8	3	11	3	11	14	1	-	1	-	4	4	-	4	4	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	13	22	35
1881,	6	2	8	3	9	12	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	9	17	26
1882,	2	4	6	2	11	13	-	3	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	20	24
1883,	3	7	10	3	10	13	-	3	3	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	24	30
1884,	-	2	2	4	5	9	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	15	19
1885,	1	3	4	7	4	11	-	2	2	1	3	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	9	14	23
Totals,	46	89	135	56	101	157	1	22	23	1	27	28	-	17	17	-	9	9	1	5	6	-	1	1	105	271	376

TABLE 43. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

BRISTOL COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866, . . .	11	9	20	7	7	14	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	17	35
1867, . . .	7	8	15	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	11	19
1868, . . .	4	14	18	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	24	28
1869, . . .	10	10	20	2	9	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	19	31
1870, . . .	8	10	18	9	12	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	17	23	40
1871, . . .	3	6	9	5	4	9	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	13	21
1872, . . .	8	6	14	2	6	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	13	23
1873, . . .	5	7	12	6	10	16	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	19	30
1874, . . .	-	4	4	7	18	25	-	5	5	-	5	5	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	35	42
1875, . . .	9	8	17	8	11	19	-	3	3	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	30	47
1876, . . .	6	5	11	7	10	17	-	3	3	-	2	2	-	3	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	25	38
1877, . . .	3	5	8	11	14	25	-	5	5	-	7	7	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	40	54
1878, . . .	7	7	14	5	8	13	-	4	4	-	5	5	-	5	5	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	12	32	44
1879, . . .	11	5	16	6	9	15	-	3	3	-	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	23	40
1880, . . .	7	-	7	5	8	13	1	2	3	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	14	27
1881, . . .	6	12	18	13	17	30	2	1	3	-	1	1	-	6	6	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	41	62
1882, . . .	6	9	15	10	13	23	-	8	8	-	4	4	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	16	39	55
1883, . . .	11	5	16	9	28	37	2	10	12	-	5	5	-	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	54	76
1884, . . .	5	5	10	8	11	19	2	7	9	-	4	4	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	15	30	45
1885, . . .	8	5	13	13	12	25	-	6	6	-	-	-	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	22	29	51
Totals, . .	135	140	275	134	219	353	7	58	65	-	48	48	1	42	43	-	18	18	-	4	4	-	2	2	277	531	808

TABLE 41. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

DUKES AND NANTUCKET COUNTIES.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	3
1867,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1868,	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	4	4
1869,	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1870,	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1871,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1872,	1	-	1	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	4
1873,	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2
1874,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1875,	1	-	1	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	5
1876,	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
1877,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1878,	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	3	4
1879,	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2
1880,	1	-	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3
1881,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
1882,	-	-	-	1	2	3	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5
1883,	1	-	1	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	3	6
1884,	1	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	3
1885,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals,	8	3	11	8	16	24	1	4	5	-	4	4	-	2	2	-	3	3	17	32	49

TABLE 45. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

ESSEX COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	11	13	24	4	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	15	17	32
1867,	8	17	25	2	9	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	10	27	37
1868,	9	19	28	6	6	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	15	28	43
1869,	6	12	18	6	9	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	23	35
1870,	20	12	32	8	15	23	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	32	60
1871,	12	20	32	9	17	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	22	38	60
1872,	14	12	26	2	17	19	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	16	36	52
1873,	9	17	26	11	21	32	-	9	9	-	8	8	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	57	77
1874,	10	8	18	19	26	45	-	12	12	-	11	11	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	60	89
1875,	15	10	25	21	19	40	-	19	19	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	52	88
1876,	7	9	16	14	22	36	-	23	23	-	8	8	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	63	84
1877,	16	8	24	16	25	41	-	7	7	-	16	16	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	60	92
1878,	8	8	16	16	18	34	-	19	19	-	7	7	-	7	7	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	61	85
1879,	11	10	21	11	26	37	-	6	6	-	7	7	-	7	7	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	59	81
1880,	16	10	26	10	35	45	1	8	9	-	11	11	-	6	6	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	71	98
1881,	8	8	16	19	18	37	1	6	7	-	2	2	-	6	6	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	41	69
1882,	4	11	15	9	40	49	1	11	12	-	2	2	-	6	6	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	14	73	87
1883,	11	11	22	12	34	46	-	12	12	-	3	3	-	4	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	65	88
1884,	15	14	29	15	21	36	-	9	9	-	4	4	-	6	6	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	31	54	85
1885,	6	7	13	15	25	40	2	11	13	-	2	2	-	4	4	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	51	74
Totals,	216	236	452	225	406	631	5	153	158	-	91	91	-	51	51	-	24	24	1	6	7	1	1	2	448	968	1,416

TABLE 46. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Imprisonment.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	1	4	5	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	6
1867,	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1868,	1	4	5	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	7
1869,	2	2	4	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	5	9
1870,	1	2	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5
1871,	7	1	8	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	4	12
1872,	1	3	4	1	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8	10
1873,	-	2	2	1	2	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	7	8
1874,	2	2	4	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	6
1875,	1	-	1	3	-	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	2	6
1876,	-	1	1	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5
1877,	1	3	4	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	8
1878,	2	3	5	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	7	10
1879,	1	3	4	2	5	7	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	10	13
1880,	2	2	4	4	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	5	11
1881,	3	7	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	3	11	14
1882,	-	-	-	4	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	4	8
1883,	2	-	2	1	5	6	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	3	9	12
1884,	4	2	6	3	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	3	10
1885,	2	3	5	4	1	5	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	6	6	12
Totals,	33	46	79	31	43	74	-	6	6	-	4	4	-	7	7	-	4	4	64	110	174

TABLE 47. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

HAMPDEN COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	8	10	18	6	7	13	–	–	–	–	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	14	20	34
1867,	8	7	15	–	4	4	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	2	2	–	1	1	8	15	23
1868,	–	4	4	–	3	3	–	–	–	–	3	3	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	11	11
1869,	4	5	9	1	9	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	5	15	20
1870,	8	5	13	2	7	9	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	14	24
1871,	–	5	5	2	8	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	13	15
1872,	–	6	6	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	7	9
1873,	1	10	11	1	4	5	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	17	19
1874,	7	6	13	9	14	23	–	4	4	–	4	4	–	2	2	–	1	1	–	–	–	16	31	47
1875,	6	5	11	6	10	16	–	9	9	–	2	2	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	12	28	40
1876,	3	5	8	4	7	11	–	9	9	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	7	24	31
1877,	5	6	11	2	7	9	–	6	6	–	1	1	–	8	8	–	1	1	–	–	–	7	29	36
1878,	8	5	13	6	14	20	–	9	9	–	4	4	–	5	5	–	2	2	–	–	–	14	39	53
1879,	3	5	8	9	10	19	–	7	7	–	4	4	–	–	–	–	2	2	–	1	1	12	29	41
1880,	5	4	9	6	9	15	–	5	5	–	7	7	–	3	3	–	2	2	–	–	–	11	30	41
1881,	–	2	2	1	3	4	–	1	1	–	2	2	–	1	1	–	2	2	–	–	–	1	11	12
1882,	9	6	15	4	7	11	–	7	7	–	3	3	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	13	24	37
1883,	9	4	13	13	20	33	2	3	5	–	–	–	–	7	7	–	2	2	–	–	–	24	36	60
1884,	7	5	12	12	20	32	1	9	10	–	1	1	–	4	4	–	2	2	–	–	–	20	41	61
1885,	6	7	13	12	20	32	–	8	8	1	1	2	1	10	11	–	2	2	–	–	–	20	48	68
Totals,	97	112	209	98	183	281	3	79	82	1	40	41	1	43	44	–	23	23	–	2	2	200	482	682

TABLE 48. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	1	2	3	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	6
1867,	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1868,	1	1	2	1	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	8
1869,	1	1	2	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	5
1870,	2	3	5	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7	9
1871,	2	4	6	3	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	10
1872,	1	5	6	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	8
1873,	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	5
1874,	-	-	-	6	2	8	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	6	4	10
1875,	1	3	4	5	-	5	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	8	14
1876,	-	2	2	4	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	7	11
1877,	2	-	2	4	2	6	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	5	11
1878,	4	3	7	6	7	13	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	15	25
1879,	-	-	-	4	4	8	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	7	12
1880,	1	2	3	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	10	11
1881,	-	-	-	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	7
1882,	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	-	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	8
1883,	2	-	2	2	7	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	10	14
1884,	-	2	2	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	9
1885,	2	1	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	4	6
Totals,	23	30	53	44	51	95	3	6	9	-	10	10	-	18	18	-	4	4	-	1	1	70	120	190

TABLE 49. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866, ...	18	23	41	7	16	23	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	41	66
1867, ...	20	22	42	6	10	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	1	1	1	1	2	27	37	64
1868, ...	17	17	34	1	24	25	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	18	44	62
1869, ...	13	17	30	7	7	14	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	20	29	49
1870, ...	10	26	36	5	16	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	42	57
1871, ...	3	15	18	5	12	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	8	29	37
1872, ...	7	25	32	12	15	27	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	19	45	64
1873, ...	17	24	41	11	25	36	-	12	12	-	6	6	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	28	71	99
1874, ...	17	21	38	19	26	45	2	15	17	-	5	5	-	15	15	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	87	125
1875, ...	8	9	17	21	17	38	2	15	17	-	8	8	-	9	9	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	59	90
1876, ...	11	10	21	5	29	34	1	9	10	-	11	11	-	6	6	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	17	69	86
1877, ...	14	20	34	15	15	30	-	13	13	-	10	10	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	63	92
1878, ...	11	11	22	17	20	37	-	10	10	-	7	7	-	10	10	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	1	1	28	62	90
1879, ...	8	10	18	10	34	44	1	10	11	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	66	85
1880, ...	5	11	16	13	27	40	1	8	9	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	57	76
1881, ...	10	11	21	15	23	38	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	54	79
1882, ...	6	12	18	14	18	32	1	6	7	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	38	59
1883, ...	6	11	17	12	31	43	-	8	8	-	2	2	-	7	7	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	60	78
1884, ...	15	12	27	14	28	42	1	13	14	-	4	4	-	11	11	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	30	70	100
1885, ...	9	13	22	22	25	47	2	7	9	-	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	34	58	92
Totals, . . .	225	320	545	231	418	649	11	132	143	-	77	77	-	95	95	-	24	24	-	11	11	2	4	6	469	1,081	1,550

TABLE 50. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

NORFOLK COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	6	2	8	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	7	6	13
1867,	3	3	6	3	2	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	12
1868,	-	1	1	1	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	7
1869,	3	1	4	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	6
1870,	2	3	5	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	5	5	10
1871,	-	3	3	4	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	5	9
1872,	1	1	2	4	3	7	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	6	11
1873,	2	-	2	3	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	5	3	8
1874,	2	2	4	2	2	4	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	8	12
1875,	2	3	5	4	6	10	1	3	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	13	20
1876,	-	1	1	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8
1877,	2	2	4	2	5	7	2	2	4	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	11	17
1878,	5	1	6	1	6	7	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	6	11	17
1879,	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2
1880,	2	1	3	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	5
1881,	1	2	3	2	1	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8
1882,	3	-	3	2	5	7	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	8	13
1883,	1	1	2	3	7	10	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	10	15
1884,	2	3	5	5	8	13	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	15	22
1885,	4	3	7	8	8	16	-	6	6	1	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	13	20	33
Totals,	41	33	74	51	75	126	4	20	24	1	9	10	-	9	9	-	1	1	1	3	4	98	150	248

TABLE 51. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	1	1	2	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	8
1867,	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1868,	1	1	2	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	6
1869,	6	1	7	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	8	15
1870,	2	2	4	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8
1871,	4	2	6	1	5	6	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	8	13
1872,	4	1	5	6	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	5	15
1873,	2	-	2	3	6	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	6	11
1874,	-	2	2	6	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	12
1875,	1	-	1	6	4	10	-	3	3	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	11	18
1876,	-	5	5	4	2	6	-	2	2	-	6	6	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	17	1
1877,	1	-	1	3	6	9	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	10	14
1878,	3	3	6	6	11	17	-	4	4	-	1	1	-	4	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	24	33
1879,	3	2	5	6	6	12	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	12	22
1880,	1	5	6	6	5	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	8	15	23
1881,	1	-	1	6	6	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	12	19
1882,	-	1	1	3	10	13	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	20	23
1883,	1	1	2	6	4	10		4	4	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	11	18
1884,	1	-	1	7	3	10	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	8	7	15
1885,	2	2	4	4	7	11	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	17	23
Totals,	34	30	64	79	96	175	1	25	26	-	14	14	-	32	32	-	5	5	-	2	2	1	-	1	115	204	319

TABLE 52. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866, . . .	29	42	71	16	28	44	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	74	119
1867, . . .	11	27	38	6	15	21	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	17	47	64
1868, . . .	25	42	67	9	31	40	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	75	109
1869, . . .	21	45	66	12	28	40	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	33	78	111
1870, . . .	21	44	65	13	15	28	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	64	98
1871, . . .	19	26	45	13	15	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	32	46	78
1872, . . .	20	22	42	3	36	39	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	63	86
1873, . . .	16	26	42	8	27	35	6	4	10	-	5	5	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	30	68	98
1874, . . .	30	28	58	16	53	69	6	18	24	-	17	17	-	5	5	-	9	9	-	1	1	-	-	-	52	131	183
1875, . . .	18	18	36	29	27	56	4	18	22	-	10	10	-	19	19	-	5	5	-	1	1	1	-	1	52	98	150
1876, . . .	11	24	35	23	29	52	2	30	32	-	11	11	-	16	16	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	113	149
1877, . . .	6	25	31	11	38	49	1	24	25	-	9	9	-	21	21	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	18	120	138
1878, . . .	22	22	44	29	42	71	5	22	27	-	12	12	-	13	13	-	1	1	-	3	3	-	-	-	56	115	171
1879, . . .	18	20	38	11	36	47	5	23	28	-	5	5	-	8	8	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	94	128
1880, . . .	16	23	39	19	46	65	6	19	25	-	6	6	-	15	15	-	1	1	-	2	2	1	-	1	42	112	154
1881, . . .	8	8	16	10	36	46	6	11	17	-	6	6	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	63	87
1882, . . .	7	13	20	13	40	53	1	16	17	-	5	5	-	3	3	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	81	102
1883, . . .	21	17	38	21	45	66	3	18	21	-	5	5	-	18	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	103	148
1884, . . .	16	27	43	20	39	59	6	19	25	-	3	3	-	15	15	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	107	149
1885, . . .	24	16	40	19	60	79	5	22	27	-	9	9	-	23	23	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	48	131	179
Totals, . .	359	515	874	301	686	987	56	244	300	-	122	122	-	161	161	-	38	38	-	15	15	2	2	4	718	1,783	2,501

TABLE 53. — *Divorces Granted, by Years and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

WORCESTER COUNTY

YEARS.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
1866,	18	11	29	10	9	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	1	-	1	29	23	52
1867,	14	13	27	4	7	11	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	26	44
1868,	10	11	21	2	10	12	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	23	35
1869,	10	6	16	6	7	13	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-		3	3	-	-	-	1	-	1	17	18	35
1870,	9	15	24	8	12	20	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	33	50
1871,	13	11	24	13	13	26	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	30	56
1872,	11	4	15	9	11	20	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	18	38
1873,	17	14	31	9	19	28	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	26	37	63
1874,	9	9	18	7	19	26	-	6	6	-	11	11	-	4	4	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	59	75
1875,	3	5	8	21	22	43	2	7	9	-	6	6	-	2	2	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	1	1	26	47	73
1876,	3	1	4	13	15	28	1	9	10	-	6	6	-	4	4	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	17	39	56
1877,	11	5	16	5	21	26	-	7	7	-	8	8	-	5	5	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	48	64
1878,	6	5	11	8	12	20	-	8	8	-	1	1	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	14	33	47
1879,	5	9	14	23	31	54	-	8	8	-	7	7	-	4	4	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	28	62	90
1880,	10	11	21	16	26	42	-	8	8	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	57	83
1881,	2	3	5	1	4	5	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	13	16
1882,	12	9	21	12	29	41	-	13	13	-	5	5	-	3	3	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	63	87
1883,	18	14	32	12	26	38	1	12	13	-	6	6	-	4	4	-	4	4	-	1	1	1	-	1	32	67	99
1884,	13	10	23	19	23	42	-	6	6	-	3	3	1	10	11	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	53	86
1885,	15	8	23	13	17	30	1	7	8	-	3	3	-	7	7	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	43	72
Totals,	209	174	383	211	333	544	5	97	102	-	65	65	1	68	69	-	48	48	-	6	6	3	1	4	429	792	1,221

TABLE 54. — *Total Number of Divorces Granted, by Counties and Statute Causes. — Twenty Years.*

STATE RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes
Barnstable, . .	28	27	55	29	85	114	-	1	1	-	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57	124	181
Berkshire, . .	46	89	135	56	101	157	1	22	23	1	27	28	-	17	17	-	9	9	1	5	6	-	1	1	105	271	376
Bristol, . . .	135	140	275	134	219	353	7	58	65	-	48	48	1	42	43	-	18	18	-	4	4	-	2	2	277	531	808
Dukes and Nantucket, . .	8	3	11	8	16	24	1	4	5	-	4	4	-	2	2	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	32	49
Essex, . . .	216	236	452	225	406	631	5	153	158	-	91	91	-	51	51	-	24	24	1	6	7	1	1	2	448	968	1,416
Franklin, . .	33	46	79	31	43	74	-	6	6	-	4	4	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	64	110	174
Hampden, . .	97	112	209	98	183	281	3	79	82	1	40	41	1	43	44	-	23	23	-	2	2	-	-	-	200	482	682
Hampshire, . .	23	30	53	44	51	95	3	6	9	-	10	10	-	18	18	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	1	1	70	120	190
Middlesex, . .	225	320	545	231	418	649	11	132	143	-	77	77	-	95	95	-	25	25	-	11	11	2	4	6	469	1,081	1,550
Norfolk, . . .	41	33	74	51	75	126	4	20	24	1	9	10	-	9	9	-	1	1	1	3	4	-	-	-	98	150	248
Plymouth, . .	34	30	64	79	96	175	1	25	26	-	14	14	-	32	32	-	5	5	-	2	2	1	-	1	115	204	319
Suffolk, . . .	359	515	874	301	686	987	56	244	300	-	122	122	-	161	161	-	38	38	-	15	15	2	2	4	718	1,783	2,501
Worcester, . .	209	174	383	211	333	544	5	97	102	-	65	65	1	68	69	-	48	48	-	6	6	3	1	4	429	792	1,221
The State, . .	1,455	1,758	3,213	1,496	2,712	4,208	97	847	944	3	522	525	3	543	546	-	197	197	3	59	62	9	11	20	3,066	6,649	9,715

TABLE 55. — *Ratio of Divorces Granted for each Statute Cause, by Counties. — Twenty Years.*

COUNTIES.	ADULTERY.		DESERTION.		INTOXICATION.		EXTREME CRUELTY.		CRUEL AND ABUSIVE TREATMENT.		NEGLECT TO PROVIDE.		IMPRISONMENT.		IMPOTENCY.		TOTALS.	
	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.
Barnstable,	55	30·4	114	62·8	1	·6	11	6·2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	181	–
Berkshire,	135	35·9	157	41·8	23	6·1	28	7·4	17	4·5	9	2·4	6	1·6	1	·3	376	–
Bristol,	275	34·0	353	43·7	65	8·0	48	6·0	43	5·3	18	2·3	4	·5	2	·2	808	–
Dukes and Nantucket,	11	22·4	24	49·0	5	10·2	4	8·2	2	4·1	3	6·1	–	–	–	–	49	–
Essex,	452	31·9	631	44·6	158	11·2	91	6·4	51	3·6	24	1·7	7	·5	2	·1	1,416	–
Franklin,	79	45·4	74	42·5	6	3·5	4	2·4	6	3·6	–	–	4	2·4	–	–	174	–
Hampden,	209	30·6	281	41·2	82	12·1	41	6·0	44	6·4	23	3·4	2	·3	–	–	682	–
Hampshire,	53	27·8	95	50·0	9	4·8	10	5·3	18	9·6	4	2·1	1	·5	–	–	190	–
Middlesex,	545	35·1	649	41·8	143	9·2	77	4·9	95	6·1	25	1·6	11	·7	6	·4	1,550	–
Norfolk,	74	29·8	126	50·8	24	9·7	10	4·0	9	3·6	1	·4	4	1·7	–	–	248	–
Plymouth,	64	20·0	175	54·8	26	8·1	14	4·6	32	10·0	5	1·6	2	·6	1	·3	319	–
Suffolk,	874	34·9	987	39·5	300	12·0	122	4·9	161	6·4	38	1·5	15	·6	4	·2	2,501	–
Worcester,	383	31·4	544	44·6	102	8·4	65	5·3	69	5·6	48	3·9	6	·5	4	·3	1,221	–
The State,	3,213	33·0	4,208	43·3	944	9·7	525	5·4	547	5·7	197	2·1	62	·6	20	·2	9,715	–

Tables 40–54 show the total number of divorces granted both in the State and in each county separately for a period of twenty years, by years and statute causes, together with a general recapitulation. A study of Table 40 reveals the fact that, during this period, there were 9,715 divorces granted, or 313 more than in the previous twenty years. Of this number, 6,649, or 68·4 per cent., were decreed on complaint of the female. The largest ratio in favor of the female (72·1 per cent.) is found in Berkshire County, although Suffolk, with its record of 71·3 per cent., exhibits but a slight difference. The smallest percentage (60·5) is noted in Norfolk. Of those granted for adultery, 54·7 per cent. were decreed to the wife, and for desertion, 64·4 per cent.

Of the total number granted during the twenty years (Table 55), 3,213, or 33·0 per cent., were decreed for adultery, and 4,208, or 43·3 per cent., for desertion — an aggregate of 76·3 per cent. for the two causes combined. This ratio is but ·4 of one per cent. lower than that for the twenty years between 1865 and 1884.

Divorces by Counties. — Of the total number of divorces (9,715), which have been granted since 1866, Suffolk County is credited with 25·7 per cent., and Dukes and Nantucket with but ·6 of one per cent. These ratios are the same as those recorded in the last report.

In proportion to the total number granted in each county (Table 55), 45·4 per cent. were decreed in Franklin for adultery; 35·9 per cent. in Berkshire; 35·1 per cent. in Middlesex; 34·9 per cent. in Suffolk; 34·0 per cent. in Bristol; 31·9 per cent. in Essex; 31·4 per cent. in Worcester; 30·6 per cent. in Hampden; 30·4 per cent. in Barnstable; 29·8 per cent. in Norfolk; 27·8 per cent. in Hampshire; 22·4 per cent. in Dukes and Nantucket; 20 0 per cent. in Plymouth. Although, of all the counties, the ratio for Dukes and Nantucket is next to the lowest in the number of divorces granted for adultery, and 23 per cent. below that for Franklin, yet, in proportion to every one thousand births, the percentage of children born out of wedlock in the former counties, considered together, is by far the largest.

For desertion as a cause, the highest ratio is found in Barn-

stable (62·8 per cent.), with the remaining counties in the following order: Plymouth, 54·8 per cent.; Norfolk, 50·8 per cent.; Hampshire, 50.0 per cent.; Dukes and Nantucket, 49·0 per cent.; Essex and Worcester, 44·6 per cent. each; Bristol, 43·7 per cent.; Franklin, 42·5 per cent.; Berkshire and Middlesex, 41·8 per cent. each; Hampden, 41·2 per cent.; Suffolk, 39 5 per cent.

For intoxication, Hampden still exhibits the highest ratio (12 1 per cent.), and Barnstable the lowest (·6 of one per cent.).

For extreme cruelty, Dukes and Nantucket have the worst record, although the ratio for Berkshire is but ·8 of one per cent. below that for the former counties. Franklin exhibits the lowest proportion. For cruel and abusive treatment, Plymouth again takes precedence, while in Barnstable there have been no divorces granted for this cause during twenty years. Neglect to provide is most prominent in Dukes and Nantucket, and, next to Barnstable and Franklin, in which no divorces have been decreed in the period under discussion, the least noticeable in Norfolk. On the contrary, Franklin exhibits the highest percentage for imprisonment. For impotency, there have been twenty divorces granted since 1866. Of this number, 6 were in Middlesex; 4 each in Suffolk and Worcester; 2 each in Bristol and Essex; 1 each in Berkshire and Plymouth.

Dividing the State into two geographical divisions (Table 56), it will be observed that the ratios of divorces granted for adultery, desertion and extreme cruelty, are practically the same for the two sections; while the eastern division exhibits a larger proportion for intoxication, and the western for all other causes combined.

TABLE 56. — *Ratio of Divorces Granted for Each Cause, in two Geographical Divisions. — Twenty Years.*

DIVISIONS.	Total Numbers.	ADULTERY.		DESERTION.		INTOXICATION.		EXTREME CRUELTY.		ALL OTHER CAUSES.	
		Numbers.	Ratio to Total Number.	Numbers.	Ratio to Total Number.	Numbers.	Ratio to Total Number.	Numbers.	Ratio to Total Number.	Numbers.	Ratio to Total Number.
THE STATE,	9,715	3,209	33·0	4,210	43·3	944	9·7	525	5·4	826	8·9
EASTERN, (Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket, Essex, Middlesex, Norfolk, Plymouth, Suffolk.)	7,072	2,350	33·2	3,059	43·5	722	10·2	377	5·2	564	7·9
WESTERN, (Berkshire, Franklin, Hampden, Hampshire, Worcester.)	2,643	859	32·5	1,151	43·5	222	8·4	148	5·6	262	10·9

TABLE 57. — *Ratio of Divorces to Marriages. — Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Number of Marriages.	Marriage-rates per 1,000.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.
1866, ...	14,428	22·15	392	1 to 36·8
1867, ...	14,451	21·57	282	1 to 51·2
1868, ...	13,856	20·11	339	1 to 40·8
1869, ...	14,826	20·92	339	1 to 43·7
1870, ...	14,721	20·20	379	1 to 38·8
1871, ...	15,746	21·07	325	1 to 48·4
1872, ...	16,142	26·07	343	1 to 47·1
1873, ...	16,437	20·92	449	1 to 36·6
1874, ...	15,564	19·32	647	1 to 24·1
1875, ...	13,663	16·54	577	1 to 23·6
1876, ...	12,749	15·43	525	1 to 24·2
1877, ...	12,758	15·40	553	1 to 23·1
1878, ...	12,893	15·47	600	1 to 21·4
1879, ...	13,802	16·08	546	1 to 23·4
1880, ...	15,538	17·42	580	1 to 26·8
1881, ...	16,768	*18·48	409	1 to 40·9
1882, ...	17,684	*19·09	515	1 to 34·3
1883, ...	18,194	*20·07	655	1 to 27·8
1884, ...	17,333	*19·33	614	1 to 28·2
1885, ...	17,052	17·56	646	1 to 26·4
Totals, ...	304,605	–	9,715	1 to 31·3

* Estimated.

The ratio of divorces to marriages for the entire period of twenty years is one to 31·3 for the State, as compared with one to 36·8 in 1866, one to 38·8 in 1870, one to 23·6 in 1875, one to 26·8 in 1880, and one to 26·4 in 1885. In comparison with

these proportions, it is found that the average marriage-rate for the ten years prior to 1876 is 20.89, while that for the past ten years is 17·43, or a relative decrease of 3·46 for the last decade. On the contrary, for the same periods the average proportions of divorces to marriages are one to 39·1 for the former, and one to 27·6 for the latter ten years, — an increase of one to 11·5 in favor of the past decade.

TABLE 58. — *Ratio of Total Number of Divorces to Total Number of Marriages, by Counties. — Twenty Years.*

COUNTIES.	Number of Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.
Barnstable,	5,755	181	1 to 31·8
Berkshire,	10,423	376	1 to 27·7
Bristol,	23,993	808	1 to 29·7
Dukes and Nantucket,	1,297	49	1 to 26·5
Essex,	42,993	1,416	1 to 30 3
Franklin,	5,589	174	1 to 32·1
Hampden,	18,420	682	1 to 27·0
Hampshire,	7,711	190	1 to 40·5
Middlesex,	50,233	1,550	1 to 32·4
Norfolk,	12,703	248	1 to 51·2
Plymouth,	11,800	319	1 to 36·9
Suffolk,	77,552	2,501	1 to 30·9
Worcester,	36,338	1,221	1 to 29·7
The State,	304,605	9,715	1 to 31·3

Table 58 shows the ratio of divorces to marriages, by counties, for twenty years. Norfolk still presents the smallest proportion, one to 51·2, and Dukes and Nantucket the largest, one to 26·5, or nearly double that for Norfolk. The remaining counties stand in the following relative order: Hampshire, one to 40·5; Plymouth, one to 36·9; Middlesex, one to 32·4;

Franklin, one to 32·1; Barnstable, one to 31·8; Suffolk, one to 30·9; Essex, one to 30·3; Bristol and Worcester, one to 29·7 each; Berkshire, one to 27·7; Hampden, one to 27·0. Berkshire, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket, Essex, Hampden, Suffolk and Worcester exhibit ratios, which are higher than that for the State.

Studying these ratios in reference to the different causes, as may be done in Table 59, it will be found that for adultery Plymouth's record is the best, being one divorce to 184·4 marriages, whereas Franklin exhibits the highest proportion, one to 70·7. The comparative rank of the remaining counties is as follows: Norfolk, one to 171·7; Hampshire, one to 145·5; Dukes and Nantucket, one to 117·9; Barnstable, one to 104.7; Essex, one to 95·1; Worcester, one to 94·8; Middlesex, one to 92·2; Suffolk, one to 88·7; Hampden, one to 88·1; Bristol, one to 87·2; Berkshire, one to 77·2.

For desertion Norfolk has by far the best record, presenting a proportion of one divorce to 100·8 marriages, and Barnstable, with one to 50·5, the worst. On the contrary, Barnstable exhibits the smallest ratio for intoxication, and for all other causes combined, having had no divorces granted during the twenty years for cruel and abusive treatment, neglect to provide, imprisonment nor impotency. The ratio for intoxication is still the highest in Hampden, being twenty-five times greater than in Barnstable. For extreme cruelty Norfolk continues to make the best showing, while the proportion accredited to Dukes and Nantucket is the largest. Of the counties which exhibit returns for all other causes, taken together, Norfolk also has the best record, and Dukes and Nantucket the worst.

In computing the ratios of divorces to marriages for the two geographical divisions (Table 60), it will be seen that for all the causes combined, as well as for adultery, desertion, extreme cruelty and all other causes, tabulated separately, the proportions for the western section are larger than those for the eastern.

TABLE 59. — *Ratio of Total Number of Divorces to Total Number of Marriages, by Counties and Causes. — Twenty Years.*

COUNTIES.	Number of Marriages.	ADULTERY.		DESERTION.		INTOXICATION.		EXTREME CRUELTY.		ALL OTHER CAUSES.	
		Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.
Barnstable,	5,755	55	1 to 104·7	114	1 to 50·5	1	1 to 5,755·0	11	1 to 522·9	–	–
Berkshire,	10,423	135	1 to 77·2	157	1 to 66·4	23	1 to 453·2	28	1 to 372·2	33	1 to 315·9
Bristol,	23,993	275	1 to 87·2	353	1 to 67·9	65	1 to 369·1	48	1 to 499 7	66	1 to 366·5
Dukes and Nantucket,	1,297	11	1 to 117·9	24	1 to 54·0	5	1 to 259·4	4	1 to 324·2	5	1 to 259·4
Essex,	42,993	452	1 to 95 1	631	1 to 68·1	158	1 to 272·2	91	1 to 474·4	84	1 to 511·8
Franklin,	5,589	79	1 to 70·7	74	1 to 75·5	6	1 to 931·5	4	1 to 1,397·2	10	1 to 558·9
Hampden,	18,420	209	1 to 88·1	281	1 to 65·5	82	1 to 224·6	41	1 to 449·2	69	1 to 266 9
Hampshire,	7,711	53	1 to 145·5	95	1 to 81·2	9	1 to 856·8	10	1 to 771·1	23	1 to 335 7
Middlesex,	50,233	545	1 to 92·2	649	1 to 77·4	143	1 to 351·2	77	1 to 652·4	139	1 to 361·4
Norfolk,	12,703	74	1 to 171·7	126	1 to 100·8	24	1 to 529·3	10	1 to 1,270·3	14	1 to 907·3
Plymouth,	11,800	64	1 to 184·4	175	1 to 67·4	26	1 to 453 8	14	1 to 842·9	40	1 to 295·0
Suffolk,	77,552	874	1 to 88 7	987	1 to 78·5	300	1 to 258·3	122	1 to 635·7	218	1 to 355·7
Worcester,	36,338	383	1 to 94·8	544	1 to 66·8	102	1 to 356 2	65	1 to 559·0	127	1 to 286·1
The State,	304,605	3,209	1 to 94·9	4,210	1 to 72·3	944	1 to 322·6	525	1 to 580·2	826	1 to 353·3

TABLE 60. — *Ratio of Total Number of Divorces to Total Number of Marriages, by Causes and Geographical Divisions. — Twenty Years.*

DIVISIONS.	Number of Marriages.	ADULTERY.		DESERTION.		INTOXICATION.		EXTREME CRUELTY.		ALL OTHER CAUSES.		TOTALS.	
		Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Total Number of Divorces to Total Number of Marriages.
THE STATE, . . .	304,605	3,209	1 to 94·9	4,210	1 to 72 3	944	1 to 322·6	525	1 to 580 2	826	1 to 353·3	9,715	1 to 31·3
EASTERN, ... (Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket, Essex, Middlesex, Norfolk, Plymouth, Suffolk.)	226,124	2,350	1 to 96·2	3,059	1 to 73·9	722	1 to 313·2	377	1 to 599·8	564	1 to 400·9	7,072	1 to 32·0
WESTERN, ... (Berkshire, Franklin, Hampden, Hampshire, Worcester.)	78,481	859	1 to 91·9	1,151	1 to 68·2	222	1 to 353·5	148	1 to 530·8	262	1 to 299·5	2,643	1 to 29·7

In the following three tables are exhibited the statistics of divorce for 1885. In this year 646 divorces were granted, which number is 32 greater than was decreed in 1884, and 160 more than the yearly average for the past twenty years. Of the above number, 151, or 23·4 per cent., were decreed for adultery, as against 26·5 per cent. in 1884, 23·9 per cent. in 1883, and 33·7 per cent. as the ratio for the past twenty years. For desertion, the proportion is 47·3 per cent., as compared with 45·3 per cent. in 1884, and 43·3 per cent. as the twenty years' mean; for intoxication, 13·3 per cent. (12·9 per cent. in 1884); for extreme cruelty, 5·4 per cent.; for cruel and abusive treatment, 8·5 per cent.; for neglect to provide, ·8 of one per cent.; for imprisonment, ·8 of one per cent.; for impotency, ·4 of one per cent. The above ratios are, for adultery, 9·6 per cent. lower than the proportion for the past twenty years; for desertion, 4 per cent. higher; for intoxication, 3·6 per cent. higher; for extreme cruelty, the ratios are the same; for cruel and abusive treatment, 2·8 per cent. higher; for neglect to provide, 1·2 per cent. lower; for imprisonment, ·2 of one per cent. higher; for impotency, ·2 of one per cent. higher.

Sixty-six and nine-tenths per cent. of the total number were granted on complaint of the wife, as compared with 66·8 per cent. in 1884, 70·4 per cent. in 1883, and 68·4 per cent. as the average proportion for twenty years. Of those in which adultery appeared as a cause, 46·3 per cent. of the successful libellants were women; of those in which desertion was alleged, 61·7 per cent., and of those which were decreed for intoxication, 88·4 per cent. For the first time in twenty years, extreme cruelty appeared as a cause for which a divorce was granted to the husband, three decrees having been entered for this allegation. Of these decrees, one each was recorded in Berkshire, Hampden and Norfolk counties.

In computing the relative rank of the various counties, in respect to the number of divorces granted in each, it is found that, for the past four years, Suffolk stands first in order; Middlesex first in 1884, second in 1885, and fourth in both 1882 and 1883; Essex, third in 1885 and 1883, fourth in 1884, and second in 1882; Worcester, fourth in 1885, third in 1884, and second in the two years just preceding; Hampden,

fifth in 1885 and 1884, having risen from the sixth and seventh places, respectively, in the previous two years; Bristol, sixth in 1885 and 1884, as compared with the fifth position in 1882 and 1883; Norfolk, seventh; Berkshire and Plymouth, eighth; Barnstable, tenth; Franklin, eleventh; Hampshire, twelfth; Dukes and Nantucket, thirteenth. The latter counties occupied very nearly the same position in the previous three years.

In Dukes and Nantucket, taken together, no divorces were granted in the past year, the four libels which were filed having been dismissed. Hampden furnishes an unusually large number of divorces decreed for cruel and abusive treatment, equalling 25 per cent. of the total number, which has been granted since this cause went into effect. Middlesex is chiefly noticeable on account of the increased number of decrees entered for extreme cruelty, and Norfolk for its record of intoxication, as a ground upon which divorce was granted.

In proportion to the total number granted in each county (Table 62), it is found that Hampshire has the highest ratio for adultery (50·0 per cent., as compared with 60·0 per cent. in 1884), while, next to Dukes and Nantucket, in which counties no divorces for any cause were granted, Berkshire and Plymouth have the lowest (17·4 per cent. each, as against 10 5 per cent. for the former, and 6·7 per cent. for the latter, in the previous year). The order in which the remaining counties stand, with their ratios, is as follows: Franklin, 41·7 per cent.; Worcester, 31·9 per cent.; Barnstable, 30·8 per cent.; Bristol, 25·5 per cent.; Middlesex, 23 9 per cent.; Suffolk, 22·3 per cent.; Norfolk, 21·2 per cent.; Hampden, 19·1 per cent.; Essex, 17·6 per cent. Of those decreed for desertion, Barnstable, with a ratio of 69·2 per cent., takes the first rank, and Hampshire, with a proportion of 16·7 per cent., the lowest. The remaining counties stand in the following order: Essex, Middlesex, Bristol, Norfolk, Berkshire and Plymouth, Hampden, Suffolk, Franklin and Worcester.

For intoxication, the record of Plymouth is by far the worst, and, with the exception of Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket, and Hampshire, in which counties no divorces for this cause were granted, Franklin makes the best showing. In Essex, Norfolk, Plymouth and Suffolk, alone, are the ratios higher than that for the State. For extreme cruelty, Berkshire ex-

hibits the largest proportion, and for cruel and abusive treatment, Hampden. In none of the counties were all the causes represented.

Of the 693 new suits for divorce which were disposed of in 1885, 607, or 87·6 per cent., were not contested, thereby leaving but 12 4 per cent. of the number which were defended. Eighty-two and five-tenths per cent. (82·5) of the suits brought on the ground of adultery were decided without contest; 81·6 per cent. of those for cruel and abusive treatment; 90·3 per cent. of those for desertion; 78·4 per cent. of those for extreme cruelty; 66 7 per cent. of those for impotency; 93·2 per cent. of those for intoxication; 100 per cent. each, of those for imprisonment and non-support. Of the total number of petitions, 93·0 per cent. were granted — 91·5 per cent. to the male, and 94·1 per cent. to the female libellants. Of the suits which were brought for adultery, 94·4 per cent. were successful; 91·6 per cent., for cruel and abusive treatment; 92·7 per cent., for desertion; 94·6 per cent., for extreme cruelty; 96·6 per cent., for intoxication; 55·6 per cent., for non-support. All suits for imprisonment and impotency, as causes, were decided in favor of the libellants.

Two hundred and eighty-one (281) libels were dismissed — 25 without prejudice; 41 by agreement, consent or request of the libellant; 89 for want of prosecution; 9 on account of the death of either the libellant or libellee, and 117 for other causes, or for those which were not specified.

In four cases the district attorney was notified to make complaint, in accordance with the provisions of the act of 1881.

TABLE 61. — *Divorces Granted, by Counties and Statute Causes. — 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Adultery.			Desertion.			Intoxication.			Extreme Cruelty.			Cruel and Abusive Treatment.			Neglect to Provide.			Imprisonment.			Impotency.			Totals.		
	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
Barnstable,	2	2	4	–	9	9	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	11	13
Berkshire,	1	3	4	7	4	11	–	2	2	1	3	4	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	9	14	23
Bristol,	8	5	13	13	12	25	–	6	6	–	–	–	1	4	5	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	1	22	29	51
Dukes and Nantucket,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Essex,	6	7	13	15	25	40	2	11	13	–	2	2	–	4	4	–	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	23	51	74
Franklin,	2	3	5	4	1	5	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	6	12
Hampden,	6	7	13	12	20	32	–	8	8	1	1	2	1	10	11	–	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	20	48	68
Hampshire,	2	1	3	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	2	4	6
Middlesex,	9	13	22	22	25	47	2	7	9	–	12	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	1	34	58	92
Norfolk,	4	3	7	8	8	16	–	6	6	1	1	2	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	13	20	33
Plymouth,	2	2	4	4	7	11	–	6	6	–	–	–	–	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	17	23
Suffolk,	24	16	40	19	60	79	5	22	27	–	9	9	–	23	23	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	48	131	179
Worcester,	15	8	23	13	17	30	1	7	8	–	3	3	–	7	7	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	29	43	72
The State,	81	70	151	117	189	306	10	76	86	3	32	35	2	53	55	–	5	5	–	5	5	1	2	3	214	432	646

TABLE 62. — *Ratio of Divorces granted for each Statute Cause to the Total Number, by Counties. — 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Adultery.		Desertion.		Intoxication.		Extreme Cruelty.		Cruel and Abusive Treatment.		Neglect to Provide.		Imprisonment.		Impotency.		Totals.	
	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.
Barnstable,	4	30·8	9	69·2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	13	–
Berkshire,	4	17·4	11	47·8	2	8·7	4	17·4	1	4·4	–	–	–	–	1	4·3	23	–
Bristol,	13	25·5	25	49·0	6	11·8	–	–	5	9·8	–	–	1	2·0	1	1·9	51	–
Dukes and Nantucket,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Essex,	13	17·6	40	54·0	13	17·6	2	2·7	4	5·4	2	–	–	2·7	–	–	74	–
Franklin,	5	41·7	5	41·7	1	8·3	–	–	1	8·3	–	–	–	–	–	–	12	–
Hampden,	13	19·1	32	47·1	8	11·8	2	2·9	11	16·2	2	2·9	–	–	–	–	68	–
Hampshire,	3	50·0	1	16·7	–	–	1	16·7	–	–	–	–	1	16·6	–	–	6	–
Middlesex,	22	23·9	47	51·1	9	9·8	12	13·0	–	–	–	–	1	1·1	1	1·1	92	–
Norfolk,	7	21·2	16	48·5	6	18·2	2	6·1	1	3·0	–	–	1	3·0	–	–	33	–
Plymouth,	4	17·4	11	47·8	6	26·0	–	–	2	8·8	–	–	–	–	–	–	23	–
Suffolk,	40	22·3	79	44·2	27	15·1	9	5·0	23	12·8	–	–	1	0·6	–	–	179	–
Worcester,	23	31·9	30	41·7	8	11·1	3	4·2	7	9·7	1	1·4	–	–	–	–	72	–
The State,	151	23·4	306	47·3	86	13·3	35	5·4	55	8·5	5	0·8	5	0·8	3	0·4	646	–

Of the eight causes for which divorces have been granted during the past twenty years, Berkshire, Bristol, Essex, Middlesex, Plymouth, Suffolk and Worcester Counties furnish statistics under the heads of all; Hampden, Hampshire and Norfolk under seven; Dukes and Nantucket, and Franklin under six; Barnstable under four.

Analyzing the statistics for each year of the above period, it is found that Hampden and Norfolk had a larger number of divorces decreed in 1885 than in any year since 1866, also Middlesex, with the exception of 1874, 1877 and 1884. In the former county, the past year takes precedence in the number of divorces granted for cruel and abusive treatment, in Norfolk for adultery, desertion and intoxication, and in Middlesex for desertion and extreme cruelty.

Berkshire, Middlesex and Norfolk exhibited, in 1885, the greatest number of successful male libellants for the cause of desertion, also Bristol, if 1881, which has the same record, is excepted. Suffolk furnished in the past year the largest number of divorces granted to husbands for adultery, with the exception of 1874, and to females for desertion. For the number of divorces granted for adultery, the year 1866 is still the most prominent in the largest proportion of the counties; 1885 for desertion; 1883 for intoxication; 1877 and 1874 for extreme cruelty.

Barnstable, Middlesex and Suffolk had, in 1874, the largest number of divorces which had been granted in these counties for twenty years; Hampshire and Plymouth in 1878; Berkshire and Essex in 1880; Franklin in 1881; Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket and Worcester in 1883; Hampden and Norfolk in 1885.

TABLE 63. — *Ratio of Divorces to Marriages, by Counties. — 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Number of Marriages.	Number of Divorces.	Ratio of Divorces to Marriages.
Barnstable,	277	13	1 to 21·3
Berkshire,	539	23	1 to 23 4
Bristol,	1,445	51	1 to 28·3
Dukes and Nantucket,	67	–	–
Essex,	2,430	74	1 to 32·8
Franklin,	282	12	1 to 23·5
Hampden,	1,080	68	1 to 15·9
Hampshire,	358	6	1 to 59·7
Middlesex,	3,057	92	1 to 33·2
Norfolk,	709	33	1 to 21·5
Plymouth,	652	23	1 to 28·4
Suffolk,	4,289	179	1 to 23 9
Worcester,	1,867	72	1 to 25·9
The State,	17,052	646	1 to 26·4

The ratio of divorces to marriages in the State, for 1885, was one of the former to twenty-six and four-tenths of the latter (Table 63), as against one to 28·2 in 1884, one to 27·7 in 1883, one to 34·3 in 1882, and one to 31·3, as the total proportion for the past twenty years. The highest ratio is again found in Hampden (one to 15·9), and the lowest in Hampshire (one to 59·7). The remaining counties assume the following relative order: Middlesex, one to 32·2; Essex, one to 32·8; Plymouth, one to 28·4; Bristol, one to 28·3; Worcester, one to 25·9; Suffolk, one to 23·9; Franklin, one to 23·5; Berkshire, one to 23·4; Norfolk, one to 21·5; Barnstable, one to 21·3. In Dukes and Nantucket, as has been previously stated, no divorces were granted.

TABLE 64. — *Average Length of Married Life of Libellants, by Statute Causes. — 1882–1885.*

YEARS.	ADULTERY.	DESERTION.	INTOXICATION.	EXTREME CRUELTY.	CRUEL AND ABUSIVE TREATMENT.	NEGLECT TO PROVIDE.	IMPRISONMENT.	IMPOTENCY.	TOTALS.
	Years of Married Life.	Years of Married Life.	Years of Married Life.	Years of Married Life.	Years. of Married Life.	Years of Married Life.	Years of Married Life.	Years of Married Life.	Years of Married Life.
1882, ...	9·86	11·41	10·70	12·02	10 85	10·02	17 66	–	10·95
1883, ...	9·63	11·53	12·00	10·16	10·07	9 78	–	7·00	10·89
1884, ...	9·86	12·90	12 65	12·76	10 10	7·82	13·00	12·00	11·70
1885, ...	9·85	12·81	12·81	10·11	9 57	11·44	9·20	8·33	11·64

Length of Married Life of Libellants. — As shown in Table 64, the average length of the married life of all libellants, in 1885, was 11·64 years. Of the suits brought on the grounds of desertion and intoxication, married life had continued for each cause, as an average, 12·81 years; while for impotency, as an alleged cause, the libellants had been married but 8·33 years, and for imprisonment 9·20 years. Forty-two and seven-tenths per cent. (42·7) of the marriages had continued between ten and twenty years, and 32·9 per cent. between five and ten years. One hundred and five (105) of the libellants had been married between one and five years, 70 between twenty and thirty years, 24 over thirty years, 2 under one year, and 2 under six months. In the suits, brought on the ground of adultery, 41·7 per cent. of the marriages had lasted between ten and twenty years, and 33·7 per cent. between five and ten years. In 30 cases of alleged adultery, the libellants had been married between one and five years; in 12 cases, between twenty and thirty years; in one case, under one year, and in one case also, under six months. Of the suits, wherein desertion was alleged as a cause, 41·1 per cent. of the libellants had continued the marriage contract between ten and twenty years, and 37·2 per cent. between five and ten years. In the libels for intoxication, 53·5 per cent. were filed after a married life of between ten and twenty years, and 20·9 per cent. after one of between five and ten years. Of the 24 cases, in which married life had lasted over thirty years, 18, or 75 per cent., were for desertion.

Taking the whole period between 1879 and 1885, seven years, into consideration, it is found that 37·1 per cent. of the libellants had been married between ten and twenty years, and 33·4 per cent. between five and ten years. A total of 736 had been married between one and five years, 480 between twenty and thirty years, 149 over thirty years, 28, under one year, and 25, under six months. In ten of the suits, the length of the married life was not recorded.

DEATHS.

Thirty-eight thousand and ninety-four deaths were reported in 1885, an increase of 1,104 in comparison with 1884, an increase of 346 as against the statistics of 1883, and an increase of 2,802 over the record for 1880. The above number of deaths likewise represents a gain of 879, or 2·3 per cent. over the average mortality of the past five years, as against an increase in the population of 8·9 per cent. since the census of 1880.

The death-rate per 1,000 of the living population (19·61) is ·28 higher than it was in the preceding year, ·46 less than the estimated rate for 1883, ·18 less than in 1880, and ·19 less than the average for the past five years. It is also ·75 lower than the average for the five years, and ·83 less than the mean for the thirty years, prior to 1881. It had been exceeded but twelve times in the previous thirty-four years.

In consideration of the facts, that only 175 more births took place in 1885 than in 1884, that the rate of mortality among infants under one year was slightly less than the average for the past fourteen years (Table 74), and that the percentage of deaths from the zymotic diseases (Table 83) was 4·6 less than the mean for ten years, the mortality must be considered to have been above the average. The explanation of this result may be found in the statistics of deaths from the principal local diseases, in Table 85.

TABLE 65.—*Deaths and Death-Rates, 1851–1885.*

YEARS.	Deaths Registered.	Deaths to 1,000 Persons Living.	Annual Mean of Quinquennial Periods.
1851,	18,934	18·90	
1852,	18,482	17·99	
1853,	20,301	18·88	18·71
1854,	21,411	19·41	
1855,	20,798	18·37	
1856,	20,734	18·01	
1857,	21,280	18·17	
1858,	20,776	17 45	17·94
1859,	20,976	17·33	
1860,	23,068	18·74	
1861,	24,085	19·46	
1862,	22,974	18·45	
1863,	27,751	22·16	20·70
1864,	28,723	22·80	
1865,	26,152	20·64	
1866,	23,637	18·14	
1867,	22,772	16·99	
1868,	25,603	18·58	18·17
1869,	26,054	18·38	
1870,	27,329	18·75	
1871,	27,943	18·70	
1872,	35,019	22·85	
1873,	33,912	21·58	20·82
1874,	31,887	19·79	
1875,	34,978	21·17	
1876,	33,186	20·09	
1877,	31,342	18·91	
1878,	31,303	18·78	19·22
1879,	31,801	18·52	
1880,	35,292	19 79	
1881,	36,458	20·09	
1882,	36,785	19·91	
1883,	37,748	20·07	19·80
1884,	36,990	19 33	
1885,	38,094	19·61	
Thirty-one years' average,	–	19·33	19·33

TABLE 66. — *Death-Rates by Counties, 1865–1880, 1885, and Deaths, 1881–1885.*

	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.	STATE.
Death-rates, 1865, .	17·8	17·9	20·4	22·1	21·7	18·4	19·0	20·9	19·1	19·1	22·0	23·3	21·2	20·6
" " 1866, .	14·5	15·7	17·4	17·8	17·7	15·8	18·2	16·5	18 9	17·3	16·1	21·3	17·5	18·1
" " 1867, .	14·0	14 7	16·6	16·6	15·7	14·8	17 3	14·0	17·3	17·4	14·7	20·3	16·7	16·9
" " 1868, .	14·7	15·7	19 4	17·5	16·9	14·7	19·5	14·8	19·2	14·5	17·8	23·8	17·4	18·5
" " 1869, .	16·2	15·2	17·6	18·5	17·9	16·2	18·2	15·0	18 7	16·4	16·8	22·1	16·9	18·3
" " 1870, .	14·5	15·4	18·1	20·6	17·4	16·9	19·1	17·1	18·9	15·6	16·2	23·7	17·9	18·7
" " 1871, .	16·7	12·8	15·7	20·4	18·6	18·0	20·1	15·4	19·6	15·8	16·7	21·7	19·2	18·7
" " 1872, .	17·6	18·6	22·3	22·2	22·1	16·2	24·0	20 9	23·4	19·8	18·3	27·8	22·2	22·8
" " 1873, .	17·7	16·6	25·3	21·8	20·6	17·1	21·8	17·1	23·3	18·9	18·2	25·7	18·0	21 5
" " 1874, .	16·8	17·5	20·1	23·8	18 9	18·0	19·3	22·8	20·1	16·8	16·4	23·8	17·5	19·7
" " 1875, .	19·1	18·9	20·7	21·2	21·1	19 8	20·4	20·4	20·9	17·4	18·6	25·7	18 4	21·1
" " 1876, .	18·2	16·3	20·1	23·5	21·0	15·3	19·0	17·9	19·8	16·8	19·1	23·6	17·9	20·0
" " 1877, .	16·5	15 1	19·7	32·0	20·1	15·1	17·2	17·0	18·8	16·6	16·8	20·8	17·8	18·9
" " 1878, .	18 7	14·3	21·0	29·1	19·2	14·3	17·7	16·4	19·0	15·4	15·8	21·9	16·4	18·7
" " 1879, .	17·7	15·0	20·4	22·7	20·1	16·0	19·6	16·9	17·5	16·0	16·5	24 1	16·1	18·5
" " 1880, .	19·0	16·0	21·4	21·8	20·2	16·1	19·9	18·1	18·1	16·1	16·8	23·4	18·9	19·7
" " 1885, .	18·8	18 0	20·6	28·9	18·1	15 8	18·4	16 9	18·6	16·7	17·5	24·2	18·1	19·6
Deaths, 1881, . .	523	1,305	3,015	208	4,778	605	2,107	954	6,181	1,645	1,370	9,578	4,189	36,458
" 1882, . .	577	1,242	3,251	210	4,969	588	2,181	797	6,149	1,659	1,354	9,531	4,277	36,785
" 1883, . .	578	1,277	2,949	186	5,041	626	2,187	878	6,380	1,673	1,301	10,262	4,410	37,748
" 1884, . .	559	1,289	3,125	182	4,837	628	2,092	792	6,234	1,629	1,277	10,139	4,207	36,990
" 1885, . .	560	1,328	3,269	211	4,764	593	2,152	820	6,642	1,703	1,433	10,203	4,416	38,094

By Table 66, in which are shown the death-rates and deaths, by counties, for a period of years, it will be seen that, in Barnstable, Berkshire, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket and Suffolk, the mortality-rate was higher in 1885 than the average for the previous four census years. This increase is most marked in Dukes and Nantucket. The remaining counties show a decrease, which is most noticeable in Hampshire.

Table 67 shows the death-rates in six geographical divisions of the State, in the census years 1860–1885. In the Midland and Valley divisions the rate was smaller, in 1885, than the average for the six census years.

TABLE 67. — *Death-Rates in Six Geographical Divisions.**

COUNTIES.	Population. 1885.	Death-Rate. 1860.	Death-Rate. 1865.	Death-Rate. 1870.	Death-Rate. 1875.	Death-Rate. 1880.	Death-Rate. 1885.	Average.
1. Metropolitan (City of Boston, the greater part of Suffolk County), ...	390,393	24·7	23 6	24·3	26·1	23·7	24·6	24·5
2. North-eastern (Essex, part of Suffolk and part of Middlesex County), . . .	620,951	18·1	20·4	18·3	21·0	19·2	18·4	18·1
3. South-eastern (Dukes and Nantucket, Barnstable, Plymouth, Bristol and Norfolk), .	379,442	16·2	20·0	16·6	19·2	18·8	18·9	18·3
4. Midland (Worcester and part of Middlesex), ...	274,839	17·6	20·7	17·8	18·5	18·6	17·9	18·5
5. Valley (Franklin, Hampden and Hampshire), ...	202,685	17·2	19·4	18 1	20·3	18·7	17·5	18·5
6. Western (Berkshire), ...	73,828	14·5	17·9	15·4	18·9	16·4	17·9	16·8
Whole State, ...	1,942,141	18·7	20·6	18·7	21·2	19 8	19·6	19·8

* Chelsea, Revere, and Winthrop, of Suffolk County, are in the *North-eastern Division.* Ashby, Townsend, Pepperell, Shirley, Groton, Dunstable, Tyngsborough, Westford, Littleton, Boxborough, Acton, Stow, Marlborough and Hopkinton, of Middlesex County, are in the *Midland Division;* the rest of Middlesex County is in the *North-eastern Division.*

* TABLE 68. — *Death-Rates according to Population.*

	Population by Census of 1885.	Death-Rates. 1865.	1870.	1875.	1880.	1885.	Deaths 1885.	Average Death-rate 5 Census Years.
Boston,	390,393	23·6	24·3	26·2	23·7	24·6	9,608	24·5
Worcester,	68,389	24·9	21·8	20 9	20·9	19·4	1,327	21·6
Lowell,	64,107	18·6	23·2	20·5	22·0	20·7	1,329	21·0
Cambridge,	59,658	18·9	20·4	23 3	18·0	21·0	1,252	20·3
Fall River,	56,870	21·5	20·8	24·0	26·3	22·5	1,280	23·0
Lynn,	45,867	22·1	17·2	19·2	19·5	16·9	777	18 9
Lawrence,	38,862	25·7	17·2	26·0	21·6	19·9	774	22·1
Springfield,	37,575	16·0	18·5	20·9	19·0	18 6	700	18·6
New Bedford,	33,393	21·2	17·8	21·7	21·9	22 1	738	20·9
Somerville,	29,971	20·4	1 ·6	22·9	17·0	18·3	549	19·2
Salem,	28,090	21·1	20·6	22·9	23·2	20·5	578	21 6
Holyoke,	27,895	21·4	27·2	29·3	24·0	19·0	538	24·2
Chelsea,	25,709	20·8	16·8	20·1	20·5	20·1	516	19·6
Taunton,	23,674	21·5	19·8	19·8	18·6	19·8	470	19 9
Haverhill,	21,795	-	-	-	-	17·8	387	-
Gloucester,	21,703	24·5	23·2	28·4	23·2	19·5	423	23·7
Brockton,	20,783	-	-	-	-	15·8	330	-
Newton,	19,759	13·9	10·1	13 9	15·8	13·1	258	13·4
Malden,	16,407	-	-	-	-	14·9	246	-
Fitchburg,	15,375	-	-	-	-	18·3	281	-
Waltham,	14,609	-	-	-	-	15·2	222	-
Newburyport,	13,716	-	-	-	-	17·9	246	-
Northampton,	12,896	-	-	-	-	15·1	195	-
The 23 cities,	1,087,496	22 1	21·6	23·9	22·1	21·2	23,024	22·2
The rest of the State,	854,645	19·8	16·6	18·7	18·6	17·6	15,070	18·3
The whole State,	1,942,141	20·6	18·7	21·2	19·8	19·6	38,094	20·1
2 towns of popul. 60,000 to 70,000,	132,496	-	-	-	-	20·0	2,656	-
2 towns of popul. 50,000 to 60,000,	116,528	-	-	-	20·45	21·7	2,532	-
1 town of popul. 40,000 to 50,000,	45,867	-	-	-	26·35	16·9	777	-
3 towns of popul. 30,000 to 40,000,	109,830	-	-	-	20·13	20·1	2,212	-
8 " " 20,000 to 30,000,	199,620	-	-	-	20·95	18·9	3,791	-
14 " " 10,000 to 20,000,	190,035	-	-	-	17·88	17·4	3,311	-
32 " " 5,000 to 10,000,	228,523	-	-	-	18·34	17·4	3,979	-
24 " " 4,000 to 5,000,	106,606	-	-	-	17·48	16·6	1,769	-
29 " " 3,000 to 4,000,	103,728	-	-	-	16·90	16·9	1,763	-
54 " " 2,000 to 3,000,	133,250	-	-	-	16·99	16·6	2,212	-
83 " " 1,000 to 2,000,	122,096	-	-	-	16·71	19·4	2,373	-
95 " " less than 1,000,	63,169	-	-	-	19·85	18 0	1,140	-

* For the years 1865–1880 a similar computation has been made as in Table 10.

In Table 68 may be studied the mortality as affected by the density of population.

TABLE 69. — *Influence of Seasons on Deaths, 1884–1885.*

	Deaths registered in each Month.		Deaths registered in each Quarter.		Quarterly Percentage of Total Mortality.	
	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.
January, . .	3,296	2,969				
February, . .	3,195	2,851	10,088	8,914	26·48	24·09
March, . . .	3,597	3,094				
April, . . .	3,664	2,791				
May, . . .	3,119	2,841	9,475	8,215	24·88	22·23
June, . . .	2,692	2,583				
July, . . .	3,785	3,210				
August, . . .	3,780	3,730	10,570	10,551	27 75	28·53
September, . .	3,005	3,617				
October, . .	2,628	3,155				
November, . .	2,531	2,967	7,961	9,304	20·89	25·15
December, . .	2,802	3,182				
Not stated, . .	–	–	–	–	–	–
The year, .	38,094	36,990	–	–	100·00	100·00

TABLE 70. — *Percentages of Deaths by Quarters, 1871–1885.*

	Percentages of Deaths by Quarters ending with			
	March.	June.	September.	December.
1871, ...	23·4	23·0	30·5	23·1
1872, ...	22·1	21·9	33·3	22·7
1873, ...	24·3	22·2	30·8	22·7
1874, ...	22·6	23·4	29·6	24·4
1875, ...	24·7	22·5	29·4	23·4
1876, ...	25·6	22·3	29·4	22·7
1877, ...	24·4	22·2	29·7	23·7
1878, ...	23·8	22·2	28·5	25·5
1879, ...	27·4	23·3	26·2	23·1
1880, ...	23·5	23·4	28·6	24·5
1881, ...	25·0	23·4	27·6	24·0
1882, ...	24·1	24·1	28·7	23·1
1883, ...	23·9	24·7	28·3	23·1
1884, ...	24·1	22·2	28·5	35·2
1885, ...	26·5	24·9	27·7	20·9
Average, . . .	24·4	23·0	29·1	23·5

The largest number of deaths occurred in July and in the third quarter; the smallest in November and in the fourth quarter. The percentage for the first quarter is unusually high, while that for the fourth quarter is considerably lower than the mean for fifteen years.

TABLE 71. — *Mortality of Males and Females compared.*

	Deaths of Males.	Deaths of Females.	Deaths of Males to 100 Deaths of Females.	Death-Rate of Males.	Death-Rate of Females.
1852–61, ...	104,875	106,020	98·8	–	–
1860, ...	*11,444*	*11,547*	*99 9*	*19·3*	*18·4*
1862–65 (4 years of war), .	54,407	50,994	106·7	–	–
1865, ...	*13,085*	*13,024*	*100·5*	*21·7*	*19·6*
1866, ...	11,601	12,003	96·6	–	–
1867, ...	11,350	11,369	99·8	–	–
1868, ...	12,871	12,695	101·4	–	–
1869, ...	12,777	13,231	96·6	–	–
1870, ...	*13,699*	*13,598*	*100 7*	*19·5*	*18·6*
1871, ...	13,985	13,931	100·4	–	–
1872, ...	17,717	17,256	102·7	–	–
1873, ...	17,242	16,642	103·6	–	–
1874, ...	15,912	15,939	99 9	–	–
1875, ...	*17,329*	*17,619*	*98·4*	*21·8*	*20·5*
1876, ...	16,485	16,669	98·8	–	–
1877, ...	15,427	15,894	97·1	–	–
1878, ...	15,284	15,986	95·6	–	–
1879, ...	15,628	16,142	96·8	–	–
1880, ...	*17,426*	*17,852*	*97·6*	*20·3*	*19·3*
1881, ...	18,147	18,296	99·2	–	–
1882, ...	18,360	18,418	99·6	–	–
1883, ...	18,840	18,904	99·6	–	–
1884, ...	18,418	18,567	99·2	–	–
1885, ...	*18,889*	*19,205*	*98·3*	*20·2*	*19·0*

TABLE 72. — *Deaths at Different Ages, — 1884–1885.*

		Under 1 Year.		Under 5 Years.		20 to 30.		All Others.		Totals.	
		1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.
I. Deaths,	Males,	4,255	4,195	6,517	6,331	1,579	1,627	10,793	10,460	18,889	18,418
	Females,	3,371	3,535	5,439	5,625	1,913	1,930	11,853	11,012	19,205	18,567
	Totals,	7,626	7,730	11,956	11,956	3,492	3,557	22,646	21,472	38,094	36,985
	Unknown,	–	5	–	5	–	–	–	–	–	5
II. Percentages for each sex,	Males,	22·52	22·78	34·50	34 37	8·36	8·83	57·14	56·79	–	–
	Females,	17·55	19·04	28·32	30 29	9·96	10·39	61·71	61·19	–	–
III. Percentages for each period of life,		20·03	20·91	31·41	32·33	9·16	9·61	59 42	58·99	–	–
IV. Females to 1,000 males,		792	842	834	888	1,211	1,186	1,098	1,052	1,016	1,008

TABLE 73. — *Deaths at Different Ages. — Percentages. — Fourteen Years.*

	Under 1 Year.	Under 5 Years.	20 to 30.	All others.
1872, ...	23·96	38·75	10·76	50·49
1873, ...	23·33	36·49	10·46	53·05
1874, ...	23·49	36·58	9·88	53·54
1875, ...	22·05	36·76	9·33	53·91
1876, ...	20·19	36·19	9·07	54·74
1877, ...	20·24	35·64	9·47	54·89
1878, ...	19·69	34·50	9·05	56·45
1879, ...	18·41	31·95	9·29	58·76
1880, ...	20·34	34·58	9·27	56·15
1881, ...	20·23	32·80	10·01	57·19
1882, ...	20·22	31·21	10 16	58·63
1883, ...	19 89	31·39	10·04	58·57
1884, ...	20·91	32·33	9·61	58·99
1885, ...	20·03	31·41	9·16	59·42
Average, ...	20·93	34·34	9·68	56·05

TABLE 74. — *Deaths at Different Ages. — Fourteen Years. — 1872–1885.*

	Under 1 Year.	Under 5 Years.	20 to 30.	All others.	Totals.
I. Deaths, Males,	55,927	88,849	21,145	131,080	241,074
Females,	45,481	76,761	25,818	140,777	243,346
Totals,	101,408	165,610	46,963	271,857	488,420
Unknown,	345	349	1	2	352
II. Percentages, each sex, Males,	23·19	36·85	8·77	54·37	–
Females,	18·69	31·54	10·61	57·85	–
III. Percentages for each period of life,	20·94	34·19	9·69	56·11	–
IV. Females to 1,000 males,	813	875	1,225	1,074	1,009

Three hundred and sixteen more females died in 1885 than males, — an excess, which is 159 greater than the average since 1852, leaving out the period most influenced by the war. In none of the deaths was there a failure to return the sex.

The proportion of male to female decedents was 98·3, a smaller ratio than in any year since 1880. This difference may be partially accounted for by the fact that, by the census of 1885, the female population exceeded the male in the proportion of 51·97 per cent. for the former, and 48·03 per cent. for the latter.

Eight hundred and eighty-four more males than females died under one year of age, or a percentage difference of 4·97, while under the age of five this difference amounted to 6·18.

Between the ages of twenty and thirty the deaths of females exceeded those of males 1·60 per cent., and for all other ages 4·57 per cent. Twenty and three hundredths per cent. (20 03) of all the deaths occurred under one year of age, and 31·41 per cent. under five (Table 73). These proportions, especially the latter, are somewhat below the average for fourteen years (Tables 74 and 75). It is rather remarkable that the same number of deaths of children under five years of age should have occurred as in 1884.

TABLE 75. — *Infant Mortality. — Fourteen Years, 1872–85.*

	Births.	Deaths under One Year.	Total Deaths.	Deaths under One Year to 100 Births.	Percentage of Deaths under One to Total Deaths.
1872, . . .	43,235	8,390	35,019	19·41	23·95
1873, . . .	44,481	7,911	33,912	17·78	23·32
1874, . . .	45,631	7,489	31,887	16·41	23·48
1875, . . .	43,996	7,712	34,978	17·53	22·04
1876, . . .	42,149	6,700	33,186	15·89	20·18
1877, . . .	41,850	6,343	31,342	15·15	20·23
1878, . . .	41,238	6,189	31,303	15·01	19·77
1879, . . .	40,295	5,805	31,801	14·52	18·41
1880, . . .	44,217	7,190	35,292	16·26	20·34
1881, . . .	45,220	7,389	36,458	16·34	20·27
1882, . . .	45,670	7,438	36,785	16·30	20·22
1883, . . .	47,285	7,511	37,748	15·88	19·89
1884, . . .	48,615	7,735	36,990	15·91	20·91
1885, . . .	48,790	7,626	38,094	15·63	20·03
Average, .	–	–	–	16·29	20·93

The proportion of deaths under one year of age to every one hundred births, in 1885, was ·66 of one per cent. below the average for fourteen years, and ·28 of one per cent. lower than the ratio for 1883.

TABLE 76. — *Death-Rates per 1,000 Living at Specified Ages, 1865–1885; and Deaths, 1881–1885.*

	All Ages.	Under 1.	Under 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	80 and over.	Unknown.
Population, 1865,	1,267,031	23,719	133,943	143,391	126,691	117,171	225,566	185,543	142,831	96,440	52,216	26,675	8,316	1,302
" 1866,	1,302,989	25,336	138,246	142,664	130,756	121,794	234,652	190,941	146,598	98,716	60,948	27,645	8,580	–
" 1867,	1,339,968	27,064	142,688	141,910	134,954	126,600	244,116	196,496	150,465	100,041	62,731	28,651	8,854	–
" 1868,	1,377,996	28,909	147,273	141,223	139,249	131,594	253,961	202,213	154,434	103,420	64,567	29,694	9,135	–
" 1869,	1,417,103	30,881	152,005	140,507	143,757	136,787	264,204	208,096	158,508	105,855	66,456	30,775	9,426	–
" 1870,	1,457,351	32,987	156,889	139,796	148,371	142,184	274,859	214,151	162,689	108,348	68,401	31,895	9,727	41
" 1871,	1,494,338	33,191	160,144	144,286	148,369	146,645	281,710	219,264	166,395	111,744	70,433	33,065	9,999	–
" 1872,	1,532,263	33,404	163,467	148,927	148,368	151,247	288,730	224,500	170,185	115,247	72,526	34,279	10,279	–
" 1873,	1,571,152	33,615	166,859	153,704	148,367	155,993	295,926	229,859	174,062	118,861	74,681	35,538	10,567	–
" 1874,	1,611,028	33,827	170,321	158,642	148,366	160,888	303,302	235,367	178,027	122,587	76,901	36,842	10,863	–
" 1875,	1,651,912	34,040	173,855	163,738	148,365	165,936	310,861	240,966	182,823	126,430	79,186	38,283	11,167	10,302
" 1876,	1,651,912	34,040	173,855	163,738	148,365	165,936	310,861	240,966	182,823	126,430	79,186	38,283	11,167	–
" 1877,	1,657,265	34,210	174,116	163,800	148,991	166,015	312,437	242,091	183,816	127,179	79,782	38,573	11,280	–
" 1878,	1,667,200	34,472	174,524	164,389	149,970	166,139	314,900	243,879	185,367	128,350	80,714	39,027	11,456	–
" 1879,	1,717,200	35,817	176,595	167,374	154,932	166,772	327,379	252,788	193,229	134,286	85,438	41,327	12,352	–

" 1880,	1,783,085	37,587	179,307	171,595	161,425	167,595	343,701	264,413	203,515	142,053	91,619	44,337	13,525	-
" 1885,	1,942,141	35,888	178,338	181,842	176,551	187,247	384,450	288,219	222,920	156,760	101,619	49,235	15,516	144
Death-rates, 1865,	20·64	205·28	68·62	9·63	5·14	9 63	12·58	11 68	11 86	17·49	32·90	70·48	168·23	-
" 1866,	18·14	186·26	56·09	6·65	4 27	7·65	10·79	11·06	11·39	16·64	31·74	68·94	161·53	-
" 1867,	16·99	175·99	55·75	6 79	3·51	6 89	9·93	9·66	10·51	15·27	28·39	62·02	162·07	-
" 1868,	18·58	180·60	63·60	8·10	3·89	6·46	9·65	9·95	11·49	16 05	31·51	70·82	169·56	-
" 1869,	18 38	173·82	64·95	7·67	3·95	6·85	9·87	10·07	11·31	16·20	31·61	68·07	174·30	-
" 1870,	18·75	188·13	62·92	5·90	3·74	7 22	10·48	10·62	11·96	16·95	30·08	68·85	170·04	-
" 1871,	18·70	180·65	59·33	6 49	3·97	7·30	10·04	10·71	12·00	17·21	31·71	70 79	176·41	-
" 1872,	22·85	251·16	83·03	8·57	4·81	9·27	13·04	12·08	13 29	18·57	34·45	75·73	181·53	-
" 1873,	21·58	205·59	74 28	8·63	4·96	8 59	11·99	12 22	12·75	18·67	35·26	73·35	171·47	-
" 1874,	19·79	221·39	68·48	7·94	4·26	7·27	10·38	10·58	12 11	17·88	32·74	70·62	172·78	-
" 1875,	21·17	226·56	73·96	9·77	4 72	7·73	10·49	11 30	12·97	18·29	34·79	71·11	176 41	-
" 1876,	20·09	196·82	68·87	11·51	4 63	6·73	9 65	10·39	12·18	17 37	33 55	70·08	174 35	-
" 1877,	18·91	185·41	64·00	9·81	4·36	7·12	9·50	9·92	11·20	16·11	31·66	71·63	166·04	-
" 1878,	18·78	179 53	62·00	8·92	4·32	6·32	8·98	9·89	11·16	17·04	31·63	76 25	185·05	-
" 1879,	18·52	163·47	57 56	8 43	3·97	6 51	9·03	10·06	11·87	17·21	33 08	75·01	174·30	-
" 1880,	19·79	191·28	68·11	8·52	3·78	6·58	9 51	10 29	11·71	17·86	33·89	73·14	184·02	-
" 1885,	19 61	212 49	67·00	7·46	3 77	6 35	9·08	10 62	12·96	19·71	36·19	76·16	182·32	-

TABLE 76. — *Concluded.*

	All Ages.	Under 1.	Under 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	80 and over.	Unknown.
Deaths, . 1881,	36,458	7,389	11,970	1,500	748	1,217	3,648	2,900	2,623	2,648	3,148	3,492	2,488	166
" . 1882,	36,785	7,445	11,483	1,289	705	1,250	3,738	3,065	2,761	2,693	3,334	3,572	2,683	232
" . 1883,	37,748	7,515	11,851	1,429	683	1,240	3,790	3,003	2,874	2,906	3,512	3,636	2,555	369
" . 1884,	36,990	7,735	11,961	1,314	651	1,197	3,557	2,952	2,782	2,828	3,392	3,532	2,570	254
" . 1885,	38,094	7,626	11,956	1,358	667	1,190	3,492	3,062	2,889	3,090	3,678	3,750	2,829	133

TABLE 77. — *Average Ages at Death, by Counties, 1851–1885.*

YEARS.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
1851–1855 (mean),	27·07	30·63	33·07	28·08	37·74	28·14	35·56	28·94	34·32	25·47	28·02	32·68	20·10	29·61
1856–1860,	27·72	32·49	32·66	29·18	40·53	27·68	35·26	28·39	34·60	26·57	28·97	31·12	21·83	29·34
1861–1865,	28·14	34·23	32·09	29·27	44·45	28·08	37·29	27·37	32·16	27·29	27·63	33·30	23·00	28·81
1866–1870,	30·31	40·11	34·43	32·64	50·96	30·35	40·30	28·12	37·21	29·29	31·85	39·18	24·51	31·31
1871–1875,	29·34	40·05	33·25	30·22	51·73	30·17	39·56	26·15	34·60	28·26	33·39	39·25	23·68	32·07
1876–1880,	31·64	44·37	36·32	30·06	52·62	31·39	43·49	28·66	38·09	30·27	35·82	41·90	26·90	33·81
Average of thirty years,	29·04	36·96	33·64	29·91	46·34	29·30	38·58	27·94	35·16	27·86	30·95	36·24	23·34	30·82
1881,	32·41	44·88	36·49	31·25	53·04	34·30	43·80	31·00	38·55	31·80	36·45	41·09	27·34	33·07
1882,	33·52	49·87	36·53	31·53	49·73	34·13	42·43	29·99	40·29	33·65	52·28	40·71	29·03	34·02
1883,	33·40	51·24	35·65	33·46	52·09	34·71	42·19	30·04	39·46	33·24	39·28	43·57	28·20	34·46
1884,	33·27	48·35	35·43	30·72	*50·41	34·59	43·59	29·32	39·92	33·35	39·17	44·77	28·67	34·67
1885,	34·23	51·95	35·23	33·24	51·76	36·10	45·52	30·84	42·30	33·54	40·10	42·11	29·47	35·42

* Dukes, 50·85; Nantucket, 52·68.

TABLE 78. — *Aged 100 Years. — Died in 1885.*

Date.		NAME.	AGE. Yrs.	AGE. Mos.	Place of Death.	Birthplace.	Whether previously Married.
March	7,	Mary Caffrey,	104	–	Attleborough,	Ireland,	Married.
"	24,	Sarah Story (m. n. Fagins),	109	8	Ludlow,	Connecticut,	"
"	29,	Thomas Sabin,	101	3	Belchertown,	Ellington, Conn.,	"
April	13,	Mary Feeley (m. n. Mulrain),	102	–	Boston,	Ireland,	"
May	15,	Miles Gormley,	105	–	Medway,	"	"
July	22,	Elizabeth Lucy (m. n. Harrigan),	102	–	West Medway,	"	"
August	10,	Sarah A Harrison,	100	4	New Bedford,	New Jersey,	"
October	1,	Andrew W. Burnham,	100	2	Essex,	Essex, Mass,	"
"	6,	James Markey,	102	–	Boston,	Ireland,	"
"	7,	Mary McVicer,	110	–	Woburn,	Scotland,	"Single."
"	7,	Sarah Conway,	100	–	Melrose,	Ireland,	Married
"	20,	Lucinda Howard,	102	2	North Reading,	Danvers, Mass,	"
November	23,	Margaret Gengrow,	103	–	Warren,	Canada,	"
December	5,	Sarah P. Osgood (m. n. Prince),	100	2	Salem,	Salem, Mass.,	"
"	8,	Patrick Regan,	105	10	Boston,	Ireland,	"
"	14,	Crissie Turner,	100	–	Bourne,	Virginia,	"Single."

The ratio of mortality among the native-born population was 4·04 per cent. less, in 1885, than the average for thirty-one years, while that for the foreign-born was 4·66 per cent. greater than this average.

TABLE 79. — *Nativity of those whose Deaths were registered in 1885.*

COUNTIES.	NATIVE-BORN.		FOREIGN-BORN.		NATIVITY NOT STATED.		TOTALS.	
	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.
Barnstable,	526	93 93	29	5·18	5	·89	560	100·00
Berkshire,	1,056	79·52	240	18·07	32	2·41	1,328	100·00
Bristol,	2,415	73·88	822	25·14	32	·98	3,269	100·00
Dukes and Nantucket,	198	93·84	9	4·27	4	1·89	211	100·00
Essex,	3,665	76·93	1,045	21·94	54	1·13	4,764	100 00
Franklin,	520	87·69	64	10·79	9	1·52	593	100·00
Hampden,	1,617	75·17	508	23·62	26	1·21	2,151	100 00
Hampshire,	646	78·78	167	20·37	7	85	820	100 00
Middlesex,	4,910	73·92	1,657	24 95	75	1·13	6,642	100 00
Norfolk,	1,338	78 57	349	20·49	16	·94	1,703	100·00
Plymouth,	1,255	87·58	167	11·65	11	·77	1,433	100·00
Suffolk,	7,031	68·90	3,118	30·56	55	·54	10,204	100·00
Worcester,	3,394	76·86	971	21·99	51	1·15	4,416	100·00
STATE,	28,571	75·00	9,146	24·01	377	·99	38,094	100·00

TABLE 80. — *Nativity of Persons Deceased. — Thirty-two Years.*

	TOTAL DEATHS.*	NATIVE-BORN.		FOREIGN-BORN.	
		Nos.	Percentages.	Nos.	Percentages.
1854–59 (annual mean),	20,996	16,880	83·88	3,246	16·12
1860–65 (annual mean),	25,459	21,243	84·92	3,772	15·08
1866–70 (annual mean),	25,079	19,982	80·82	4,745	19·18
1871–75 (annual mean),	32,747	25,941	80·09	6,584	19·90
1876–80 (annual mean),	32,585	25,661	79 78	6,502	20·22
1881,	36,458	27,922	77·29	8,205	21·71
1882,	36,785	27,507	75 42	8,964	24·58
1883,	37,748	28,554	76·46	8,793	23·54
1884,	36,990	28,398	76·77	8,321	22·44
1885,	38,094	28,571	75 60	9,146	24·01

* Including those whose nativity was not recorded. In the calculations of percentages, the ratios are not given to the *total* reported deaths, but only to the total of those cases where the nativity was stated.

BIRTH-RATES, MARRIAGE-RATES, AND DEATH-RATES FOR 1885.

Table 81 shows the population by sex, together with the birth-rates, marriage-rates, and death-rates for the several counties, cities, and towns of the State for the census year 1885.

TABLE 81. — *Birth-Rates, Marriage-Rates, and Death-Rates for the Census Year 1885. Exhibiting the Population by Sex, and the Number of Births, Marriages, and Deaths to 1,000 in each County and Town.*

STATE AND COUNTIES.	POPULATION — CENSUS 1885.			Birth-Rate. 1885.	Marriage-Rate. 1885.	Death-Rate 1885.
	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
MASSACHUSETTS, . .	1,942,141	932,884	1,009,257	25·12	8·78	19·61
BARNSTABLE, .	29,845	14,466	15,379	17·36	9·28	18·76
BERKSHIRE, . .	73,828	36,144	37,684	25·75	7·30	17·99
BRISTOL, . .	158,498	75,856	82,642	26·44	9·12	20·02
DUKES, . .	4,135	2,006	2,129	15·96	11·85	25·39
ESSEX, . .	263,727	126,011	137,716	23·03	9·22	18·06
FRANKLIN, . .	37,449	18,761	18,688	19·95	7 53	15·83
HAMPDEN, . .	116,764	55,922	60,842	29·82	9·25	18·42
HAMPSHIRE, .	48,472	22,921	25,551	19·68	7 39	16·92
MIDDLESEX, .	357,311	169,491	187,820	24·75	8·56	18·59
NANTUCKET, .	3,142	1,340	1,802	11·46	5 73	33·74
NORFOLK, . .	102,142	49,000	53,142	22·80	6·94	16·67
PLYMOUTH, . .	81,680	40,553	41,127	18·71	7·98	17·54
SUFFOLK, . .	421,109	200,808	220,301	28·71	10·18	24·23
WORCESTER, .	244,039	119,605	124,434	24·72	7·65	18 09

Birth, Marriage, and Death-Rates (Census Year 1885) for each of the Counties, Cities, and Towns of Massachusetts — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — Census 1885.			Birth-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Marriage-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Death-Rate to 1,000 Population.
	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Barnstable,	29,845	14,466	15,379	17·36	9·28	18·76
Barnstable,	4,050	1,904	2,146	14·32	8·64	15·80
Bourne,	1,363	677	686	16 14	8·80	14·67
Brewster,	934	423	511	21·41	12 85	23·55
Chatham,	2,028	992	1,036	14·30	12·33	23·17
Dennis,	2,923	1,397	1,526	18·47	10·26	21·55
Eastham,	638	317	321	14·11	10·97	17·24
Falmouth,	2,520	1,244	1,276	14·68	8·73	16·27
Harwich,	2,783	1,384	1,399	17·96	11·50	17·61
Mashpee,	311	170	141	19·29	16·08	16 08
Orleans,	1,176	539	637	15·31	7·65	24·66
Provincetown,	4,480	2.212	2,268	23 21	9·37	18·08
Sandwich,	2,124	1,029	1,095	14·59	7·06	12·24
Truro,	972	467	505	32·91	5·14	24·69
Wellfleet,	1,687	832	855	16·60	10 08	24·30
Yarmouth,	1,856	879	977	10·78	4·85	19·93
Berkshire,	73,828	36,144	37,684	25·75	7 30	17·99
Adams,	8,283	4,032	4,251	36 82	9 90	18·95
Alford,	341	176	165	8·80	5·86	35·19
Becket,	938	485	453	17·06	7·46	20·25
Cheshire,	1,448	742	706	15·88	6·91	21·45
Clarksburg,	708	373	335	19·77	2·82	16·94
Dalton,	2,113	949	1,164	25·08	6·15	15·62
Egremont,	826	389	437	13·32	4·84	8·47
Florida,	487	266	221	8·21	8·21	12·32
Great Barrington,	4,471	2,126	2,345	18 79	6·49	17·22
Hancock,	613	296	317	26·10	4·89	14 68
Hinsdale,	1,656	804	852	24·16	8·45	14·49
Lanesborough,	1,212	618	594	27·23	4·95	25·58
Lee,	4,274	2,053	2,221	17·55	4·91	15·67
Lenox,	2,154	1,106	1,048	29·25	5 11	17·18
Monterey,	571	283	288	14·01	8·76	31·52
Mt. Washington,	160	81	79	25.00	6 25	18 75
New Ashford,	163	80	83	12 27	–	30·67
New Marlborough,	1,661	841	820	14 45	2 41	16·85
North Adams,	12,540	6,059	6,481	39·05	8 21	20·41
Otis,	703	364	339	15·65	14·22	8·53
Peru,	368	198	170	21·74	8·15	21·74
Pittsfield,	14,466	6,870	7,596	27·44	7·26	18·60
Richmond,	854	414	440	16·39	4·68	9·38
Sandisfield,	1,019	517	502	11·78	6·87	10·79
Savoy,	691	356	335	2 89	1·45	18·81
Sheffield,	2,033	1,021	1,012	11·80	5·41	16·72
Stockbridge,	2,114	1,030	1,084	12 77	5 20	19·87

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Counties and Towns.	Population — Census 1885.			Birth-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Marriage-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Death-Rate to 1,000 Population
	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Berkshire—Con.						
Tyringham, . .	457	226	231	21 88	24·07	10·94
Washington, . .	470	251	219	25·54	8·51	14·89
West Stockbridge,	1,648	830	818	26·09	12·74	18·20
Williamstown, .	3,729	1,959	1,770	17·97	7·24	15·82
Windsor, . .	657	349	308	9·13	4·57	6·09
Bristol, . .	158,498	75,856	82,642	26·44	9·12	20·62
Acushnet, . .	1,071	533	538	7·47	4·67	29·87
Attleborough, .	13,175	6,472	6,703	27·40	8·50	14·50
Berkley, . .	941	488	453	15 94	8.50	20·20
Dartmouth, . .	3,448	1,709	1,739	17·69	6·96	19·43
Dighton, . .	1,782	909	873	13·47	6·17	18·52
Easton, . . .	3,948	2,011	1,937	21·02	6·84	13·68
Fairhaven, . .	2,880	1,318	1,562	13·89	7·64	21·53
Fall River, . .	56,870	26,807	30,063	31·07	9·32	22·51
Freetown, . .	1,457	720	737	15·78	13·73	27·45
Mansfield, . .	2,939	1,410	1,529	23·14	7 14	13 27
New Bedford, .	33,393	15,413	17,980	26·17	11 71	22·10
Norton, . .	1,718	815	903	12·22	5·82	23·87
Raynham, . .	1,535	763	772	13·68	5·86	19·54
Rehoboth, . .	1,788	941	847	12·86	7·83	19·57
Seekonk, . .	1,295	671	624	17·76	4·63	22·39
Somerset, . .	2,475	1,321	1,154	28·28	10 91	15·76
Swanzey, . .	1,403	710	693	12·12	9·26	15·68
Taunton, . .	23,674	11,528	12,146	27·08	7·69	19·85
Westport, . .	2,706	1,317	1,389	18·48	4·80	17·74
Dukes, . .	4,135	2,006	2,129	15·96	11·85	25·39
Chilmark, . .	412	206	206	12·14	7·28	21·84
Cottage City, .	709	357	352	23·98	8·46	35·25
Edgartown, . .	1,165	557	608	16·31	15·45	24·03
Gay Head, . .	186	94	92	36·26	21·50	21·50
Gosnold, . .	122	71	51	8·20	–	8·20
Tisbury, . .	1,541	721	820	11·68	11·68	24·66
Essex, . .	263,727	126,011	137,716	23·03	9 22	18·06
Amesbury, . .	4,403	2,100	2,303	27·03	12·04	20·80
Andover, . .	5,711	2,714	2,997	21·19	7·53	13·83
Beverly, . .	9,186	4,349	4,837	18·61	9·58	14·91
Boxford, . .	840	407	433	19·04	3·57	15·47
Bradford, . .	3,106	1,412	1,694	19 96	5·79	9 66
Danvers, . .	7,061	3,358	3,703	18·84	7·22	24·07
Essex, . . .	1,722	872	850	14·52	9·29	20·90
Georgetown, .	2,299	1,123	1,176	16·09	6·52	17·83

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	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Essex—Con.						
Gloucester,	21,703	11,723	9,980	27·46	11·24	19.49
Groveland,	2,272	1,070	1,202	11·44	7·48	15·40
Hamilton,	851	420	431	16 45	5·87	15·28
Haverhill,	21,795	10,455	11,340	26·24	11·10	17·76
Ipswich,	4,207	1,970	2,237	17 59	7·13	17·83
Lawrence,	38,862	17,706	21,156	25·40	9·29	19·92
Lynn,	45,867	21,752	24,115	23·79	11·60	16·94
Lynnfield,	766	373	393	14·36	9·14	13·05
Manchester,	1,639	824	815	15·25	8·54	21·96
Marblehead,	7,517	3,605	3,912	21·55	7·85	18·09
Merrimac,	2,378	1,187	1,191	22·29	5·05	10·93
Methuen,	4,507	2,101	2,406	20·31	8 78	15·75
Middleton,	899	457	442	21·13	6·67	14·45
Nahant,	637	318	319	17·27	–	23·55
Newbury,	1,590	829	761	8·80	5·03	12·58
Newburyport,	13,716	6,162	7,554	17·79	7·95	17·94
North Andover,	3,425	1,710	1,715	22·19	6·13	12·26
Peabody,	9,530	4,737	4,793	26·44	5·77	16·47
Rockport,	3,888	1,999	1,889	24·95	6·69	21·35
Rowley,	1,183	609	574	19·44	7·61	17·75
Salem,	28,090	12,775	15,315	23·15	9·08	20·58
Salisbury,	4,840	2,380	2,460	25·19	8·47	16·32
Saugus,	2,855	1,394	1,461	24·87	3 85	14·36
Swampscott,	2,471	1,158	1,313	15·78	5·66	12 95
Topsfield,	1,141	575	566	21·03	6·13	14·90
Wenham,	871	425	446	11·48	10·33	21·81
West Newbury,	1,899	962	937	15·27	9·48	21·06
Franklin,	37,449	18,761	18,688	19·95	7·53	15·83
Ashfield,	1,097	547	550	18·23	1·82	13·67
Bernardston,	930	465	465	15·05	3·23	18·28
Buckland,	1,760	895	865	18·18	7·39	14·20
Charlemont,	958	477	481	20·88	6·26	16·70
Colrain,	1,605	812	793	22·43	4·94	11·84
Conway,	1,573	786	787	20·98	5·72	17·80
Deerfield,	3,042	1,553	1,489	21·04	5·92	18·41
Erving,	873	452	421	23·42	5·73	11·41
Gill,	860	482	378	9·30	1·16	17·44
Greenfield,	4,869	2,311	2,558	21·77	12·32	14·38
Hawley,	545	292	253	22·02	11·01	14·68
Heath,	568	287	281	21·13	12 32	17 61
Leverett,	779	398	381	19·25	5·13	17·97
Leyden,	447	217	230	11·18	6·71	29·08
Monroe,	176	96	80	17·05	–	5·68
Montague,	5,629	2,809	2,820	28·96	6·75	15·71
New Salem,	832	412	420	13·22	3·61	24·04
Northfield,	1,705	783	922	9 97	5·28	15·25
Orange,	3,650	1,836	1,814	21·65	7·94	15·62

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Counties and Towns.	Population — Census 1885.			Birth-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Marriage-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Death-Rate to 1,000 Population.
	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Franklin—Con.						
Rowe,	582	336	246	10·33	12 05	12·05
Shelburne,	1,614	757	857	14·25	11·15	13·63
Shutesbury,	485	244	241	22·68	14 43	22·68
Sunderland,	700	372	328	8·57	4·29	10 00
Warwick,	662	330	332	7.55	10·57	19·64
Wendell,	509	271	238	29·47	19·65	17·68
Whately,	999	541	458	10·01	6.01	15·01
Hampden,	116,764	55,922	60,842	29·82	9·25	18·42
Agawam,	2,357	1,155	1,202	24·18	6 79	16 54
Blandford,	954	493	461	17·82	4·19	16·77
Brimfield,	1,137	564	573	20·23	7·04	12·31
Chester,	1,318	679	639	23·52	6 07	15·93
Chicopee,	11,516	5,357	6,159	30·04	8·42	24·23
Granville,	1,193	634	559	20·96	5·03	14·25
Hampden,	868	442	426	13·82	4·61	10·37
Holland,	229	119	110	13·10	4 37	21·83
Holyoke,	27,895	13,218	14,677	45·99	10·72	19·29
Longmeadow,	1,677	881	796	19·08	7·75	11·33
Ludlow,	1,649	828	821	24·26	7·88	12·73
Monson,	3,958	1,924	2,034	18·42	5 56	18·95
Montgomery,	278	146	132	17·98	10·79	28·78
Palmer,	5,923	2,820	3,103	31·23	9·12	13·51
Russell,	847	399	448	24·79	10·63	15·35
Southwick,	982	494	488	13·23	9·16	15·27
Springfield,	37,575	17,877	19,698	25·76	9·69	18·63
Tolland,	422	231	191	14·22	2·37	16·59
Wales,	853	421	432	24·62	9·38	21·10
Westfield,	8,961	4,296	4,665	18·52	9·82	16·74
West Springfield,	4,448	2,100	2,348	27·20	8·99	18·88
Wilbraham,	1,724	844	880	19·72	7 54	13·34
Hampshire,	48,472	22,921	25,551	19·68	7·39	16·92
Amherst,	4,199	2,076	2,123	13·34	7·14	14·53
Belchertown,	2,307	1,160	1,147	13·44	6·93	19·07
Chesterfield,	698	361	337	20·06	1·43	28·65
Cummington,	805	397	408	17·39	7·45	21·11
Easthampton,	4,291	1,902	2,389	20·97	6·53	16·08
Enfield,	1,010	507	503	19·83	7·92	17·82
Goshen,	336	177	159	20·83	2·98	8·93
Granby,	729	360	369	10·97	8 23	16·46
Greenwich,	532	266	266	3·76	1·88	7·52
Hadley,	1,747	906	841	20·03	5·72	24·61
Hatfield,	1,367	704	663	23·41	2·93	16·09
Huntington,	1,267	623	644	26·05	7·10	18·94
Middlefield,	513	250	263	15·59	15·59	21·44

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Counties and Towns.	Population — Census 1885.			Birth-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Marriage-Rate to 1,000 Population.	Death-Rate to 1,000 Population.
	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Hampshire—Con						
Northampton,	12,896	5,852	7,044	22·80	7·99	15 12
Pelham,	549	262	287	16·39	16·39	16·39
Plainfield,	453	225	228	8·83	2·21	15·45
Prescott,	448	220	228	8·93	15·62	22·32
Southampton,	1,025	499	526	14·63	5 85	16·59
South Hadley,	3,949	1,790	2,159	24·82	8·10	19 25
Ware,	6,003	2,721	3,282	20·49	9·16	15·99
Westhampton,	541	280	261	16·64	7·39	11·09
Williamsburg,	2,044	998	1,046	17·12	3·91	19·57
Worthington,	763	385	378	17·04	6·55	20 96
Middlesex,	357,311	169,491	187,820	24·75	8·56	18·59
Acton,	1,785	898	887	17·37	8·96	15·69
Arlington,	4,673	2,205	2,468	26·75	9·84	19·26
Ashby,	871	436	435	14·92	10·33	22 96
Ashland,	2,633	1,362	1,271	26·21	9·49	15·19
Ayer,	2,190	1,106	1,084	26·03	6·85	14·16
Bedford,	930	459	471	13·98	1·08	23·65
Belmont,	1,639	767	872	18·30	8·54	18·91
Billerica,	2,161	1,051	1,110	16·66	5·09	12·03
Boxborough,	348	173	175	20·11	5·75	20·11
Burlington,	604	310	294	13·24	4·97	23·18
Cambridge,	59,658	28,609	31,049	27·04	8·26	20·99
Carlisle,	526	278	248	22·81	3·80	17·11
Chelmsford,	2.304	1,142	1,162	18·66	8·25	16·06
Concord,	3,727	2,013	1,714	16·37	6·98	16·37
Dracut,	1,927	1,058	869	11·94	5·19	9·86
Dunstable,	431	217	214	13·92	2·32	16·24
Everett,	5,825	2,881	2,944	26·27	6·87	14·42
Framingham,	8,275	4,010	4,295	23·08	8·46	17·28
Groton,	1,987	976	1,011	16·61	7·55	15·10
Holliston,	2,926	1,384	1,542	18·80	9·57	14·01
Hopkington,	3.922	1,972	1,950	20·91	4·84	18·36
Hudson,	3,968	1,938	2,030	27 22	8·57	16·38
Lexington,	2,718	1,357	1,361	12·88	6·25	13·98
Lincoln,	901	472	429	23·31	5·55	9·98
Littleton,	1,067	537	530	19·68	12·18	10 31
Lowell,	64,707	28,517	35,590	27·28	10·45	20·73
Malden,	16,407	7,690	8,717	27·91	9·45	14·99
Marlborough,	10,941	5,567	5,374	30·80	8·04	16·72
Maynard,	2,703	1,342	1,361	28·12	8·51	16·65
Medford,	9,042	4,418	4,624	23·22	6·97	14·15
Melrose,	6,101	2,834	3,267	24·26	9·18	19 01
Natick,	8,460	4,185	4,275	24·47	5·79	17·85
Newton,	19,759	8,741	11,018	20·10	8·10	13·01
North Reading,	878	451	427	22·78	6.83	26·19
Pepperell,	2,587	1,270	1,317	22·81	14·30	20·49
Reading,	3,539	1,582	1,957	15·54	10·74	15·54

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	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Middlesex—Con.						
Sherborn,	1,391	561	830	20·85	2·16	21·57
Shirley,	1,242	585	657	15·30	14·49	16·10
Somerville,	29,971	14,190	15,781	24·76	8·64	18·32
Stoneham,	5,659	2,726	2,933	18·73	5·48	15·20
Stow,	976	484	492	18·44	10·25	16·39
Sudbury,	1,165	583	582	25·75	6·87	16·31
Tewksbury,	2,333	1,037	1,296	13·72	3·00	10·29
Townsend,	1,846	894	952	11·92	8·13	19·50
Tyngsborough,	604	299	305	6·62	6·62	14·90
Wakefield,	6,060	2,882	3,178	23·43	9·90	18·81
Waltham,	14,609	6,708	7,901	23·48	9·65	15·20
Watertown,	6,238	3,004	3,234	21·48	5·29	21·64
Wayland,	1,946	987	959	20·56	6·17	13·36
Westford,	2,193	1,059	1,134	24·62	8·66	13·68
Weston,	1,427	744	683	16·12	4 20	10·51
Wilmington,	991	486	505	28·25	11·10	19·17
Winchester,	4,390	2,152	2,238	21·41	10·48	15·26
Woburn,	11,750	5,902	5,848	27·15	8·09	20·85
Nantucket,	3,142	1,340	1,802	11·46	5·73	33·74
Norfolk,	102,142	49,000	53,142	22·80	6·94	16·67
Bellingham,	1,198	594	604	24·21	12·52	11·69
Braintree,	4,040	1,943	2,097	22·52	7·92	19·55
Brookline,	9,196	3.939	5,257	22·51	9·03	14·90
Canton,	4,380	2,093	2,287	17·71	6·62	15·98
Cohasset,	2,216	1,058	1,158	16·40	7·22	14·44
Dedham,	6,641	3,149	3,492	20·78	6·63	15·36
Dover,	664	351	313	15·06	6·02	24·10
Foxborough,	2,814	1,243	1,571	12·44	5·69	12 79
Franklin,	3,983	1,911	2,072	19·33	5·77	14·31
Holbrook,	2,334	1,155	1,179	20·14	5·14	11·14
Hyde Park,	8,376	4,047	4,329	25·31	7·28	14·56
Medfield,	1,594	674	920	11·92	5·02	16·94
Medway,	2,777	1,382	1,395	17·28	4 68	21·97
Millis,	683	332	351	8·78	5·87	11·71
Milton,	3.555	1,661	1,894	21·94	5·34	14·34
Needham,	2,586	1,284	1,302	26·68	5·03	17·40
Norfolk,	825	410	415	26·66	7·27	10·91
Norwood,	2,921	1,514	1,407	31·15	9·93	9·93
Quincy,	12,145	6,192	5,953	31·12	8·23	17·95
Randolph,	3,807	1,871	1,936	21·80	5·25	18·91
Sharon,	1,328	660	668	15·81	4·52	30·12
Stoughton,	5,173	2,543	2,630	23·20	5·61	18·56
Walpole,	2,443	1,201	1,242	22·92	4·50	19 65
Wellesley,	3,013	1,114	1,899	19·91	6·31	13·60
Weymouth,	10,740	5,349	5,391	23·09	7·73	20·67
Wrentham,	2,710	1,330	1,380	15·87	5·17	16·60

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	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Plymouth, .	81,860	40,553	41,127	18·71	7·98	17·54
Abington, . .	3,699	1,816	1,883	20·36	8·92	18·11
Bridgewater, .	3,827	1,995	1,832	15·15	5·23	25·08*
Brockton, . .	20,873	10,398	10,385	22·33	14·44	15 88
Carver, . . .	1,091	572	519	19·25	7·33	13·75
Duxbury, . .	1,924	887	1,037	14·55	7·28	14·54
East Bridgewater,	2,812	1,411	1,401	17·78	10 31	16·71
Halifax, . .	530	257	273	13·21	9·43	13·21
Hanover, . .	1,966	950	1,016	11·70	5·09	21·87
Hanson, . .	1,227	633	594	13·04	12·22	20·36
Hingham, . .	4,375	2,040	2,335	16·46	6·17	17·83
Hull, . . .	451	240	211	13·30	6·65	26·61
Kingston, . .	1,570	753	817	12·74	8·28	21·02
Lakeville, . .	980	485	495	12·24	11·22	21 43
Marion, . . .	965	449	516	19·69	8·29	19·69
Marshfield, . .	1,649	825	824	14·55	7·88	16·37
Mattapoisett, .	1,215	554	661	15·64	4·12	22 22
Middleborough, .	5,163	2,452	2,711	12·98	5·04	18·21
Pembroke, . .	1,313	663	650	13·71	8·38	15·99
Plymouth, . .	7,239	3,556	3,683	22·10	8·01	17·27
Plympton, . .	600	290	310	5·00	6·67	15·00
Rochester, . .	1,021	509	512	13·71	8·81	13·71
Rockland, . .	4,785	2,418	2,367	18·18	5·85	16·30
Scituate, . .	2,350	1,176	1,174	14 47	6·38	20·42
South Abington, .	3,595	1,824	1,771	21·70	7 79	13·91
South Scituate, .	1,589	800	789	16·36	7·55	23·91
Wareham, . .	3,254	1,732	1,522	29·50	7·07	17·82
West Bridgewater,	1,707	868	839	15 82	10·54	13·47
Suffolk, . .	421,109	200,808	220,301	28·71	10·18	24·23
Boston, . . .	390,393	186,182	204,211	27·13	10·30	24·61
Chelsea, . .	25,709	12,139	13,570	23·80	9·33	20·07
Revere, . . .	3,637	1,833	1,804	22·00	4·12	13·20
Winthrop, . .	1,370	654	716	19·71	9 49	23·36
Worcester, .	244,039	119,605	124,434	24·72	7·65	18·09
Ashburnham, .	2,058	1,001	1,057	26·72	8·75	14·58
Athol, . . .	4,758	2,271	2,487	14·29	7·78	11·14
Auburn, . .	1,268	621	647	14·19	7·89	15·77
Barre, . . .	2,093	1,002	1,091	16·24	7·64	19·11
Berlin, . . .	899	439	460	11·12	8·90	15·57
Blackstone, . .	5,436	2,743	2,693	18·40	7·17	13·06
Bolton, . . .	876	423	453	11·42	4·57	19·40
Boylston, . .	834	413	421	9·59	4 80	13·19
Brookfield, . .	3,013	1,481	1,532	23·90	5·64	14·27
Charlton, . .	1,823	937	886	17·55	6·58	19·75

* Including workhouse.

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	Totals.	Males.	Females.			
Worcester—Con.						
Clinton,	8,945	4,022	4,923	28·51	9·61	18·56
Dana,	695	341	354	11·51	4·32	20·15
Douglas,	2,205	1,119	1,086	20·86	8·16	20·41
Dudley,	2,742	1,341	1,401	29·54	2·92	16·78
Fitchburg,	15,375	7,502	7,873	27·04	8·26	18·27
Gardner,	7,283	3,752	3,531	30·48	7·55	17·02
Grafton,	4,498	2,194	2,304	25·56	11·34	18·23
Hardwick,	3,145	1,652	1,493	23·85	9·22	11·45
Harvard,	1,184	564	620	10·98	3·38	18·58
Holden,	2,471	1,232	1,239	22·66	4·45	13·35
Hubbardston,	1,303	662	641	11·51	7·67	15·35
Lancaster,	2,050	928	1,122	11·22	5·85	20·97
Leicester,	2,923	1,378	1,545	20·53	5·13	22·58
Leominster,	5,297	2,569	2,728	18·88	9·82	20·95
Lunenburg,	1,071	553	518	15·87	·93	19·61
Mendon,	945	466	479	17·99	6·35	25·40
Milford,	9,343	4,556	4,787	18·94	7·81	21·83
Millbury,	4,555	2,170	2,385	26·34	5·05	21·95
New Braintree,	558	296	262	12·54	10·75	3·58
Northborough,	1,853	942	911	21·59	11·87	11·33
Northbridge,	3,786	1,890	1,896	24·30	10·83	17·96
North Brookfield,	4,201	2,098	2,103	30·94	9·05	16·19
Oakham,	749	384	365	24·03	10·68	29·37
Oxford,	2,355	1,130	1,225	18·26	4·25	23·35
Paxton,	561	304	257	10·69	1·78	24·95
Petersham,	1,032	515	517	20·35	13·57	23·25
Phillipston,	530	270	260	11·32	7·55	13·21
Princeton,	1,038	523	515	9·63	5·78	12·52
Royalston,	1,153	568	585	19·95	9·54	14·74
Rutland,	963	516	447	27·00	9·34	22·84
Shrewsbury,	1,450	728	722	15·86	6·90	13·79
Southborough,	2,100	1,061	1,039	27·14	10·48	13·81
Southbridge,	6,500	3,129	3,371	27·69	7·85	18·46
Spencer,	8,247	4,190	4,057	38·56	6·55	17·70
Sterling,	1,331	641	690	13·52	6·76	15·03
Sturbridge,	1,980	957	1,023	31·81	4·55	21·21
Sutton,	3,101	1,552	1,549	21·93	8·38	16·77
Templeton,	2,627	1,302	1,325	21·18	4·57	18·27
Upton,	2,265	923	1,342	13·24	6·62	17·66
Uxbridge,	2,948	1,409	1,539	22·73	6·44	17·98
Warren,	4,032	1,992	2,040	26·78	5·70	12·15
Webster,	6,220	3,031	3,189	22·51	11·58	19·29
Westborough,	4,880	2,299	2,581	18·24	5·53	13·32
West Boylston,	2,927	1,419	1,508	26·31	8·54	15·37
West Brookfield,	1,747	825	922	14·31	5·15	14·31
Westminster,	1,556	757	799	16·07	5·78	27·63
Winchendon,	3,872	1,940	1,932	23·50	6·97	17·04
Worcester,	68,389	33,682	34,707	28·62	7·73	19·40

CAUSES OF DEATH.

Of the 38,094 deaths, which were reported in 1885, in 500, or but 1·3 per cent., was there a failure to return the causes. This ratio is ·1 of one per cent. lower than in 1884, ·5 of one per cent. lower than in 1883, ·8 of one per cent. lower than in 1880, 1·8 per cent. lower than in 1876, and 3·3 per cent. lower than in 1871.

The most accurate returns (Table 82) were received from Suffolk County, while Dukes and Nantucket, and, next in order, Berkshire were apparently the most negligent.

Of the 500 unspecified deaths, 124 were from hemorrhage, 55 from tumor, 17 from inflammation, and 301 in which absolutely no cause was returned.

Table 82 shows a classification of deaths, by counties. In the *zymotic class*, Hampden exhibits the highest ratio (23·4 per cent.), which ratio, as well as those for Berkshire, Suffolk, Hampshire and Worcester, in the above order, is higher than the proportion for the whole State. As was the case in the preceding year, Barnstable has the lowest percentage (9·6), and one, which is 13·8 below that for Hampden. As compared with the statistics of 1884, it is found that the largest decrease in these ratios (5·5 per cent.) has been in Bristol, and the smallest (·15 of one per cent.) in Dukes and Nantucket. The decrease in the proportions for the remaining counties is as follows: — Berkshire, 5·3 per cent.; Hampden, 3·2 per cent.; Franklin, 3·0 per cent.; Suffolk, 2·8 per cent.; Essex, 2·2 per cent; Norfolk, 2·0 per cent.; Worcester, ·8 of one per cent.; Middlesex, ·6 of one per cent.; Barnstable, ·4 of one per cent.; Dukes and Nantucket, ·1 of one per cent. In Plymouth, and Hampshire there has been an increase of 2·7 per cent., and 2·0 respectively.

In comparison with the record for 1875, the decrease in the above ratios has been very marked in all the counties, with the

exception of Dukes and Nantucket, in which counties there has been an increase of 1·6 per cent.

In the *constitutional class*, Essex makes the largest proportionate return of deaths, and Dukes and Nantucket the smallest. Plymouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk stand relatively second and third in rank, the latter two counties having the same percentage.

From *local causes*, there were proportionately more deaths in Dukes and Nantucket, and fewer in Franklin, than in the other counties, although the difference between them is but slight.

In the *developmental class*, Barnstable takes precedence, as does Franklin in the number of deaths from *violence*.

TABLE 82. — *Causes of Death, by Classes and Counties, 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Zymotic.		Constitutional.		Local.		Developmental.*		Violent.		Unspecified.		Totals.
	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	Numbers.	Percentages.	
THE STATE,	7,135	18 7	8,922	23·4	16,074	42·2	4,010	10 5	1,453	3·8	500	1·3	38,094
Barnstable,	54	9·6	133	23·8	257	45·9	87	15·5	16	2·9	13	2·3	560
Berkshire,	289	21·8	258	19·4	559	42·1	136	10·2	44	3·3	42	3·2	1,328
Bristol,	561	17 2	735	22·5	1,483	45 4	363	11·1	99	3·0	28	0 8	3,269
Dukes and Nantucket,	32	15·2	36	17·0	99	46·9	32	15·2	4	1·9	8	3·8	211
Essex,	768	16 1	1,254	26·3	1,946	40·8	513	10·7	212	4 4	71	1·4	4,764
Franklin,	89	15·1	135	22 7	239	40·3	90	15 2	33	5·5	7	1·1	593
Hampden,	503	23·4	423	19·7	877	40·8	232	10 8	87	4·0	29	1·3	2,152
Hampshire,	170	20·8	164	20·0	344	41·9	102	12·4	27	3·3	13	1·6	820
Middlesex,	1,213	18·3	1,514	22·8	2,853	42·9	734	11·1	233	3·5	93	1·4	6,642
Norfolk,	261	15·3	423	24·8	747	43·9	182	10·7	77	4·5	13	0·8	1,703
Plymouth,	232	16·2	362	25·3	595	41·4	176	12·3	37	2·6	32	2·2	1,433
Suffolk,	2,131	20·9	2,532	24·8	4,235	41·5	831	8·1	406	4·0	68	0·7	10,203
Worcester,	832	18 8	953	21·6	1,840	41·7	532	12·1	178	4·0	81	1·8	4,416

* Excluding 1,589 still-born.

TABLE 83. — *Percentage of Causes of Death, by Classes.* — Ten Years.*

YEARS.	CLASSES.				
	Zymotic.	Constitutional.	Local.	Developmental.	Violent Deaths.
1876, ...	29·4	23·9	31·3	11·0	4·4
1877, ...	28·6	25·1	31·7	10·6	4·0
1878, ...	25·2	25·2	34·7	11·0	3 9
1879, ... , .	23·3	25·0	37·1	10·1	4·5
1880, ...	24·5	23·7	38·0	10·1	3·7
1881, ...	23·0	24·3	38·2	10·6	3·9
1882, ...	21·8	24·0	88·7	11·2	4·3
1883, ...	20·6	23·8	40·2	10·9	4·5
1884, ...	21·1	23·8	39·7	10·9	4·5
1885, ...	19·0	23·7	42·7	10 7	3·9
Average, . . .	23·6	24·2	37·2	10·7	4·1

* Excluding deaths from unspecified causes and still-births.

A smaller percentage of deaths from the *zymotic diseases* took place in 1885 than in any year of the last ten, being 4·6 per cent. below the average for the above period. The same is true in the *constitutional class*, with the exception of 1880, which exhibits the same ratio. For *local causes*, the past year takes precedence, having a percentage of 5·5 above the mean for the ten years. The *developmental* and *violent classes* show ratios very near the average.

TABLE 84. — *Mortality from Prominent Zymotic Diseases. — Ten Years.*

YEARS.	DISEASES.									
	Dysentery.	Typhoid Fever.	Whooping Cough.	Croup.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Cholera Infantum.	Small-pox.	Total.
1876, .	417	881	192	684	2,610	47	1,222	2,087	31	8,171
1877, .	580	814	369	544	2,634	135	467	1,927	26	7,496
1878, .	602	679	400	583	1,934	305	404	1,573	2	6,482
1879, .	372	637	302	559	1,734	19	850	1,349	8	5,830
1880, .	395	882	230	625	1,769	236	574	2,118	38	6,867
1881, .	360	1,072	217	677	1,706	230	397	1,861	47	6,567
1882, .	398	1,079	265	491	1,280	68	318	2,159	45	6,103
1883, .	336	860	137	530	1,091	321	575	1,941	5	5,796
1884, .	254	875	410	562	1,084	75	627	2,081	3	5,971
1885, .	253	768	184	520	1,003	313	587	1,852	19	5,499

In Table 84 may be studied the mortality from the nine most prominent zymotic diseases, for the past ten years. As a total, these diseases were less fatal by 472 deaths than in the preceding year, and by 979 less than the average for the above period.

Typhoid fever caused fewer deaths than in any year mentioned in the table, with the exception of 1878 and 1879, the mortality having been 107 less than in 1884, and 125 below the ten years' mean.

The number of deaths from whooping cough was 226 less than in the preceding year, and, with the exception of 1883, the smallest for ten years.

Croup exhibited 42 fewer deaths than in 1884, and caused a smaller mortality than is indicated by the ten years' average.

From diphtheria, there was a smaller number of deaths than in any of the last ten years, and 677 less than the yearly mean.

The mortality from measles was markedly higher than in the previous year, having been more fatal by 238 deaths. With the exception of 1883, the record for 1885 was less favorable than in any of the past ten years.

Scarlatina was somewhat less destructive than in 1884, but by 15 deaths only below the ten years' average.

Cholera infantum caused 229 fewer deaths than in the preceding year, and 42 less than the mean for the period under discussion.

The fatality of small-pox was much greater than in either of the preceding two years, although indicating an increase of but two deaths over the average for the ten years.

TABLE 85. — *Mortality from Principal Local Diseases. — Ten Years.*

YEARS	DISEASES.									
	Apoplexy.	Paralysis.	Insanity.	Convulsions.	Heart Diseases.	Bronchitis.	Pleurisy.	Pneumonia.	Peritonitis.	Bright's Disease.
1876, .	507	826	146	597	1,370	428	86	2,447	123	308
1877, .	544	873	112	568	1,391	397	82	1,972	126	329
1878, .	562	895	152	542	1,509	548	80	2,171	164	383
1879, .	663	932	118	589	1,608	690	90	2,647	226	435
1880, .	746	933	142	686	1,822	780	98	3,076	270	552
1881, .	718	998	129	665	1,937	843	88	2,967	284	692
1882, .	706	1,047	153	676	2,025	867	102	2,932	307	571
1883, .	784	1,056	183	745	2,153	934	104	3,045	339	582
1884, .	857	1,119	166	744	2,117	949	65	2,646	307	619
1885, .	1,003	1,132	188	712	2,227	1,131	138	3,468	350	647

TABLE 86. — *Mortality from Chief Developmental Diseases. — Ten Years.*

YEARS.	DISEASES.					
	Teething.	Still-born, Infantile, Premature.	Child-birth.	Abortion.	Puerp. Convulsions.	Old Age.
1876, ...	273	1,860	276	20	20	1,661
1877, ...	259	1,773	198	10	20	1,586
1878, ...	226	1,839	214	10	28	1,596
1879, ...	151	1,753	174	2	30	1,597
1880, ...	184	1,894	183	13	28	1,683
1881, ...	193	2,078	156	10	49	1,816
1882, ...	172	2,228	158	8	33	2,024
1883, ...	127	2,288	150	5	43	1,968
1884, ...	142	2,352	123	5	36	1,957
1885, ...	129	2,286	206	13	43	2,007

Consumption, the leading disease of the *constitutional class*, caused 5,955 deaths in 1885, as compared with 5,798 in 1884, 5,931 in 1883, 5,865 in 1882, 5,886 in 1881, and 5,494 in 1880. This indicates an increase of 108 over the average for the past five years, and 957 over that for the past ten.

From cancer, the next most prominent disease of this class, the number of deaths was 1,087 in the past year, as against 1,060, 1,027, 987, 949, 928, 862, 807, 647, 657, and 593 in the previous ten years. This number is, therefore, 97 greater than the mean for the preceding five years, and 236 more than that for the previous ten years.

Of the deaths from *local causes*, those from the disorders of the brain and nervous system claim the most careful attention. From apoplexy, paralysis, insanity and convulsions there has been an almost unbroken advance in mortality since 1876 — the number of deaths from these diseases, in 1885, having been respectively, 294, 151, 40 and 60 greater than the average for ten years.

The most striking advance in mortality was made in the diseases of the respiratory system. From pneumonia, the number of deaths exceeded the statistics for 1884 by 822, and the average for ten years by 731. From bronchitis, 192 more deaths took place than in the previous year, and 375 more than the ten years' mean; while from pleurisy the mortality was 73 greater than in 1884, and 45 higher than the yearly average.

Heart diseases were more fatal than in any year of the above period, as was also Bright's disease, with the exception of in 1881.

In the *developmental class*, the number of deaths from old age was 50 greater than in 1884, and 216 more than the ten years average, while that of infants, both before and immediately after birth, was 251 greater than this average.

For the ten years previous to 1885, there was a very uniform yearly decrease in the mortality from childbirth. The past year, however, exhibits a sudden increase in the number of deaths from this cause — 83 over the statistics for 1884, and 23 over the annual mean. Together with the deaths from abortion and puerperal convulsions, the accidents of pregnancy and labor, already mentioned, were more fatal by 35 deaths than the average for ten years. Adding the number of deaths

from puerperal fever (99) to the sum of the fatality mentioned above, the result indicates, as a ratio, one death in every 135·1 labors, as compared with one in 176·7 in 1884, one in 145·4 in 1883, one in 160·5 in 1882, and one in 136·6 in 1881.

TABLE 87. — *Violent Deaths. — Ten Years.*

YEARS.	Burns and Scalds.	Poison.	Railroad Accidents.	Drowning and Lost at Sea.	Freezing.	Heat.	Homicide.	Suicide.	Total.
1876, . .	98	33	108	475	5	38	24	119	900
1877, . .	83	38	137	260	2	10	20	163	713
1878, . .	79	40	129	299	4	46	20	126	743
1879, . .	88	38	119	461	3	11	17	161	898
1880, . .	80	48	146	251	–	31	15	133	704
1881, . .	101	48	171	276	2	24	12	165	799
1882, . .	107	44	182	355	11	25	12	162	898
1883, . .	106	39	185	448	4	50	7	167	946
1884, . .	112	39	186	426	3	34	11	184	995
1885, . .	110	49	187	295	5	19	15	176	856

The total mortality from the principal *violent causes* was smaller than in either of the preceding three years, although 11 higher than the average for the period since 1876. The most notable increase has been in deaths from suicide — a subject which is discussed at length in another portion of the report — and from railroad accidents. Freezing was slightly more fatal, and heat somewhat less destructive than the ten years' mean. There were 44 deaths from poison, 81 from suffocation, 6 from nose bleed, 18 from exposure, 4 from murder, 3 from starvation, 1 from "diseased milk," 1 from glanders, and 9 from strangulation. Four persons died from the effects of lightning, 1 from the results of vaccination, and 4 from the administration of chloral.

TABLE 88. — *Mortality from Twelve Prominent Causes. — 1876–1885.*

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Deaths 1885.	ORDER OF FATALITY.									
		1885.	1884.	1883.	1882.	1881.	1880.	1879.	1878.	1877.	1876.
Pulmonary Consumption,	5,955	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pneumonia,	3,468	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3
Heart Diseases,	2,227	3	3	3	4	3	4	4	6	6	6
Old Age,	2,007	4	5	4	5	5	6	5	4	5	5
Cholera Infantum,	1,852	5	4	5	3	4	3	6	5	4	4
Cephalitis,	1,165	6	7	7	9	8	9	10	9	10	12
Paralysis,	1,132	7	6	8	8	9	7	7	7	7	9
Bronchitis,	1,131	8	10	10	11	11	11	11	15	16	16
Cancer,	1,087	9	9	9	10	10	8	8	8	9	11
Diphtheria,	1,003	10	8	6	6	6	5	3	3	2	2
Apoplexy,	1,003	11	12	12	12	12	11	11	12	13	14
Typhoid Fever,	768	12	11	12	7	7	10	13	10	8	8

TABLE 89. — *Percentages of Total Mortality from Five Chief Causes, by Counties — 1885.**

COUNTIES.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Barnstable,	Consumption, 15·5	Old Age, 12·8	Heart Disease, 8·2	Pneumonia, 7·8	Paralysis, 7·6
Berkshire,	Consumption, 13·5	Pneumonia, 10·5	Heart Disease, 6·7	Diphtheria, 6·3	Old Age, 6·2
Bristol,	Consumption, 13·9	Pneumonia, 8·4	Heart Disease, 5·7	Cholera Inf'm, 5·2	Old Age, 5·1
Dukes and Nantucket,	Old Age, 13·8	Pneumonia, 10·8	Consumption, 8·3	Heart Disease, 8·3	Apoplexy, 4·9
Essex,	Consumption, 18·0	Pneumonia, 8·7	Heart Disease, 7·0	Old Age, 5·8	Cholera Inf'm, 4·7
Franklin,	Consumption, 15·2	Old Age, 11·1	Pneumonia, 10·9	Heart Disease, 5·4	Cancer, 3·9
Hampden,	Consumption, 13·8	Pneumonia, 9·9	Cholera Inf'm, 7·2	Heart Disease, 5·5	Old Age, 5·5
Hampshire,	Consumption, 14·4	Old Age, 8·9	Pneumonia, 7·1	Heart Disease, 5·1	Cholera Inf'm, 4·6
Middlesex,	Consumption, 15·4	Pneumonia, 9·8	Heart Disease, 7·2	Old Age, 5·4	Cholera Inf'm, 5·0
Norfolk,	Consumption, 16·5	Pneumonia, 9·1	Old Age, 6·6	Heart Disease, 6·5	Cholera Inf'm, 4·1
Plymouth,	Consumption, 17·8	Heart Disease, 8·6	Old Age, 8·1	Pneumonia, 7·4	Paralysis, 4·5
Suffolk,	Consumption, 16·2	Pneumonia, 9·2	Heart Disease, 5·7	Cholera Inf'm, 4·8	Diphtheria, 3·5
Worcester,	Consumption, 16·0	Pneumonia, 9·7	Old Age, 6·3	Heart Disease, 5·6	Cholera Inf'm, 5·2

* Still-births and deaths from unspecified causes excluded.

Of the twelve most prominent causes of death during the past ten years (Table 88), pulmonary consumption holds the first rank in order of fatality in each year, and pneumonia second, with the exception of 1877 and 1878. Heart diseases occupied the third position in 1885, 1884, 1883 and 1881, its average rank for the ten years being, however, 4·2. Old age ranked fourth in the past year, which is very nearly its relative order in each year.

Cholera infantum varies in rank but little from year to year, and the same is true, in a somewhat less degree, of cancer, although this disease has risen from the eleventh place in 1876 to the ninth position in 1886.

The advance in rank of cephalitis, from the twelfth position in 1876 to the sixth place in 1886, sufficiently attests its increasing fatality. Paralysis occupied the seventh place in 1885, an order which is almost identical with its average rank for the ten years.

The changes in the relative order of bronchitis are noticeable. Standing in the sixteenth position in 1876 and 1877, it advanced to the fifteenth place in 1878, to the eleventh rank in the succeeding three years, and assuming the tenth position in 1883 and 1884, it stood eighth in 1885.

On the contrary, diphtheria and typhoid fever have fallen respectively from the second and eighth places in 1876 to the tenth and twelfth positions in 1885.

Apoplexy held the fourteenth rank in the first year of the decade under discussion, and the eleventh at its close.

The twelve leading causes of death represent 59·84 per cent. of the total mortality for 1885, in comparison with 58·85 per per cent. in 1884, 55·47 per cent. in 1883, 59·8 per cent. in 1882 and 1880, and 59.98 per cent. in 1881.

The other leading causes of death in order were as follows: —

Debility, 753; convulsions, 712; Bright's disease, 647; enteritis, 608; scarlatina, 587; croup, 520; brain diseases, 474; hydrocephalus, 455; diarrhœa, 450; casualty, 377; peritonitis, 350; drowning and lost at sea, 295; dysentery, 253; gastritis, 247; liver diseases, 246; dropsy, 244; stomach diseases, 233; rheumatism, 213, erysipelas, 212.

In proportion to the total mortality, consumption assumed

the first rank, in 1885, in all the counties, with the exception of Dukes and Nantucket, in which instance old age took precedence, as it did in 1884. In the second position, pneumonia is the most prominent, being noticeable in more than two-thirds of the counties, while in the third and fourth places, heart disease appears the most frequently. Cholera infantum is seen more commonly in the fifth position than the other diseases mentioned (Table 89).

In Table 90 may be studied the relative order of mortality from the five most destructive causes, by ages. The relative rank of these diseases varies but little from year to year. It is, however, noticeable that Bright's disease, as a cause of death, becomes more prominent each year.

TABLE 90. — *Deaths from the most Destructive Five Causes, by Ages — 1885.*

AGES.	Total Deaths.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Under 5, .	11,956	Cholera Inf'm, 1,852	Pneumonia, . 934	Cephalitis, . 787	Tabes Mesenter, 787	Convulsions, . 648
5 to 10, .	1,358	Diphtheria, . 295	Scarlet Fever, 168	Pneumonia, . 121	Cephalitis, . 96	Croup, . . 66
10 to 15, .	667	Consumption, . 112	Diphtheria, . 75	Typhoid Fever, 58	Pneumonia, . 39	Heart Disease, . 37
15 to 20, .	1,190	Consumption, . 575	Typhoid Fever, 92	Pneumonia, . 67	Heart Disease, 42	Cephalitis, . 28
20 to 30, .	3,492	Consumption, . 1,783	Typhoid Fever, 223	Pneumonia, . 212	Heart Disease, 108	Pneumonia, . 77
30 to 40, .	3,062	Consumption, . 1,190	Pneumonia, . 247	Heart Disease, 165	Typhoid Fever, 93	Bright's Disease, 85
40 to 50, .	2,889	Consumption, . 794	Pneumonia, . 296	Heart Disease, 229	Cancer, . . 124	Bright's Disease, 95
50 to 60, .	3,090	Consumption, . 511	Pneumonia, . 376	Heart Disease, 311	Apoplexy, . 165	Cancer, . . 165
60 to 70, .	3,678	Heart Disease, 497	Pneumonia, . 470	Consumption, . 373	Apoplexy, . 246	Paralysis, . . 225
70 to 80, .	3,750	Old Age, . . 576	Heart Disease, 462	Pneumonia, . 434	Paralysis, . 367	Apoplexy, . 246
Over 80, .	2,829	Old Age, . . 1,255	Paralysis, . 209	Pneumonia, . 262	Heart Disease, 229	Apoplexy, . 157
Not stated,	133	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE 91. — *Number of Deaths from Several Specified Causes, of each Sex, in each Month and at Different Specified Periods of Life, which were registered during the Year 1885.*

	THE YEAR 1885.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Typhoid Fever.	Dysentery.	Cholera Infantum.	Consumption.	Pneumonia.
	Totals,	18	313	587	1,003	520	768	253	1,852	5,955	3,468
SEX.	Males,	7	164	282	443	277	400	109	991	2,655	1,755
	Females,	11	149	305	560	243	368	144	861	3,300	1,713
MONTHS.	January,	–	30	57	145	66	47	4	9	498	403
	February,	–	20	57	95	60	51	3	5	497	483
	March,	–	31	58	83	42	50	6	13	580	619
	April,	1	65	70	91	47	46	7	12	570	598
	May,	3	63	64	72	40	48	2	12	522	379
	June,	–	46	53	77	34	36	13	46	455	156
	July,	–	26	39	56	19	49	41	769	476	94
	August,	–	8	28	40	18	74	94	700	505	71
	September,	5	7	34	61	30	122	54	212	472	96
	October,	2	7	30	88	36	111	15	52	443	148
	November,	3	3	44	106	64	65	9	14	468	169
	December,	4	7	53	89	64	69	5	8	469	252

	Totals,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ages.	Under 5,	8	258	363	572	448	43	96	1,852	260	934
	5 to 10,	3	27	168	295	66	46	21	–	60	121
	10 to 15,	–	8	31	75	3	58	4	–	112	39
	15 to 20,	–	2	10	23	1	92	2	–	573	67
	20 to 30,	3	12	11	15	–	223	12	–	1,783	212
	30 to 40,	2	–	3	6	–	93	14	–	1,190	247
	40 to 50,	1	1	–	7	–	69	11	–	794	296
	50 to 60,	1	1	–	6	2	60	16	–	511	376
	60 to 70,	–	3	–	2	–	40	23	–	373	470
	70 to 80,	–	–	–	2	–	34	24	–	227	434
	Over 80,	–	1	–	–	–	9	30	–	65	262
	Not stated,	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	7	10

TABLE 92. — *Percentage of Deaths from Several Specified Causes, of each Sex, in each Month, and at Different Specified Periods of Life, which were registered during the Year 1885.*

	THE YEAR 1885.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Typhoid Fever.	Dysentery.	Cholera Infantum.	Consumption.	Pneumonia.
	Totals,	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
SEX.	Males,	38·89	52 40	48·04	44·17	53·27	52·08	43·08	53·51	44·58	50·61
	Females,	61·11	47·60	51·96	55·83	46·73	47·92	56·92	46·49	55·42	49·39
MONTHS.	January,	–	9·58	9·71	14·46	12·69	6·12	1·58	·49	8·36	11·62
	February,	–	6·39	9·71	9·47	11·54	6·64	1·19	·27	8·34	13·93
	March,	–	9·90	9·88	8·28	8·08	6·51	2·37	·70	9·74	17·85
	April,	5·55	20·77	11·93	9·07	9·04	5·99	2·77	·65	9·57	17·24
	May,	16·67	20·13	10·90	7·18	7·69	6·25	·79	·65	8·77	10·93
	June,	–	14·70	9·03	7 68	6·54	4·69	5·14	2·48	7·64	4·50
	July,	–	8·30	6·64	5 58	3·65	6·38	16·21	41·52	7·99	2·71
	August,	–	2·56	4·77	3 99	3·46	9·64	37·15	37·80	8·48	2 05
	September,	27·78	2·24	5·79	6·08	5·77	15·89	21·34	11·45	7·93	2 77
	October,	11·11	2·24	5·11	8·77	6 92	14·45	5·93	2·81	7 44	4·27
	November,	16 67	·95	7 50	10·57	12·31	8 46	3·56	·75	7·86	4·87
	December,	22·22	2·24	9·03	8·87	12 31	8·98	1·97	·43	7 88	7·26

	Totals,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ages.	Under 5,	44·45	82·43	61·84	57·03	86.15	5 60	37·94	100·00	4·37	26·93
	5 to 10,	16·67	8·63	28 62	29·41	12·69	5·99	8·30	–	1·01	3·49
	10 to 15,	–	2·56	5 28	7·48	·58	7·55	1·58	–	1·88	1·13
	15 to 20,	–	·64	1·71	2·29	·19	11·98	·79	–	9·62	1 93
	20 to 30,	16·67	3·83	1·87	1·49	–	29·04	4·74	–	29·94	6·11
	30 to 40,	11·11	·32	·51	·60	–	12·11	5·53	–	19·99	7·12
	40 to 50,	5·55	·32	–	·70	–	8·98	4·35	–	13·33	8·54
	50 to 60,	5·55	–	–	·60	–	7·81	6·32	–	8·58	10·84
	60 to 70,	–	·95	–	·20	–	5 21	9·09	–	6·26	13·55
	70 to 80,	–	–	–	·20	–	4·43	9·49	–	3·81	12 51
	Over 80,	–	·32	–	–	–	1·17	11 87	–	1·09	7·56
	Not stated,	–	–	·17	–	·39	·13	–	–	·12	·29

TABLE 93. — *Number of Deaths from Several Specified Causes, of each Sex, in each Month, and at Different Specified Periods of Life, which were registered during (Twenty-three Years) 1863–1885.*

	TWENTY-THREE YEARS.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Typhoid Fever.	Dysentery.	Cholera Infantum.	Consumption.	Pneumonia.
	Totals,	3,311	4,560	21,182	24,212	12,569	24,948	13,292	41,860	120,596	52,087
SEX.	Males,	1,974	2,306	10,544	11,506	6,644	12,926	6,537	22,241	54,265	26,500
	Females,	1,334	2,252	10,633	12,698	5,922	12,018	6,745	19,584	66,319	25,583
	Not stated,	3	2	5	8	3	4	10	35	12	4
MONTHS.	January,	473	307	2,418	2,611	1,518	1,665	126	170	10,218	6,250
	February,	296	353	2,122	2,047	1,215	1,322	133	144	9,662	6,394
	March,	278	446	2,390	1,886	1,220	1,428	148	211	11,080	7,277
	April,	270	540	2,209	1,736	1,023	1,395	163	209	10,658	6,508
	May,	305	647	2,084	1,698	800	1,286	180	302	10,736	5,132
	June,	202	615	1,655	1,588	559	1,146	363	991	9,223	2,776
	July,	183	557	1,265	1,411	441	1,417	1,926	11,514	9,582	1,889
	August,	115	355	1,060	1,327	450	2,615	4,619	16,608	10,099	1,565
	September,	152	146	953	1,818	729	3,609	3,604	8,576	9,875	1,913
	October,	221	127	1,289	2,598	1,280	4,030	1,474	2,463	9,926	2,859
	November,	311	195	1,704	2,712	1,649	2,882	383	467	9,590	4,125
	December,	505	271	2,029	2,777	1,685	2,141	169	203	9,927	5,395
	Not stated,	–	1	4	3	–	12	4	2	20	4

	Totals,	3,311	4,560	21,182	24,212	12,569	24,948	13,292	41,860	120,596	52,087
Ages.	Under 5,	1,072	3,678	14,022	13,413	10,687	2,061	6,883	41,860	6,743	17,217
	5 to 10,	234	408	5,240	7,013	1,688	1,560	887	–	1,182	1,504
	10 to 15,	112	75	1,039	1,831	105	1,876	258	–	2,206	582
	15 to 20,	283	89	364	588	20	3,616	208	–	11,155	1,204
	20 to 30,	877	143	319	564	14	6,195	472	–	34,343	3,239
	30 to 40,	343	49	96	336	16	2,825	493	–	23,135	3,748
	40 to 50,	145	42	23	156	6	1,952	534	–	15,132	4,297
	50 to 60,	98	16	22	100	8	1,584	674	–	10,507	4,772
	60 to 70,	58	19	11	100	2	1,551	921	–	9,014	6,075
	70 to 80,	30	22	4	46	2	1,186	1,129	–	5,514	6,067
	Over 80,	18	7	1	9	2	432	774	–	1,217	3,203
	Not stated,	41	12	41	56	19	110	59	–	448	179

TABLE 94. — *Percentage of Deaths — (Twenty-three Years) — 1863–1885.*

	TWENTY-THREE YEARS.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Typhoid Fever.	Dysentery.	Cholera Infantum.	Consumption.	Pneumonia.
	Totals,	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
SEX.	Males,	59·62	50·57	49·78	47·52	52·86	51·81	49·18	53·13	45·00	50·87
	Females,	40·29	49·39	50·20	52·45	47·12	48·17	50·74	46·79	54·99	49·12
	Not stated,	·09	·04	·02	·03	·02	·02	·08	·08	·01	·01
MONTHS.	January,	14·29	6·73	11·41	10·78	12·08	6·67	·95	·41	8·47	12·00
	February,	8·94	7·74	10·02	8·46	9·67	5·30	1·00	·34	8·01	12·28
	March,	8·40	9·78	11·28	7·79	9·71	5·72	1·11	·50	9·19	13·97
	April,	8·16	11·84	10·43	7·17	8·14	5·59	1·23	·50	8·84	12·49
	May,	9·21	14·19	9·84	7·01	6·36	5·16	1·36	·72	8·90	9·85
	June,	6·10	13·49	7·81	6·56	4·45	4·59	2·73	2·37	7·65	5·33
	July,	5·53	12·21	5·97	5·83	3·51	5·68	14·49	27·51	7·95	3·68
	August,	3·46	7·79	5·01	5·48	3·58	10·48	34·75	39·68	8·37	3·00
	September,	4·59	3·20	4·50	7·51	5·80	14·47	27·11	20·49	8·19	3·67
	October,	6·68	·79	6·09	10·73	10·18	16·16	11·09	5·88	8·23	5·49
	November,	9·39	4.28	8·04	11·20	13·12	11·55	2·88	1·12	7·95	7·92
	December,	15·25	5·94	9·58	11·47	13·40	8·58	1·27	·48	8·23	10·36
	Not stated,	–	02	·02	·01	–	·05	·03	–	·02	·01

Ages.										
Totals,	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100 00	100 00	100·00
Under 5,	32 38	80·68	66·20	55·40	85·02	8·26	51·78	100·00	5·59	33·05
5 to 10,	7·06	8·95	24·74	28·96	13·43	6·25	6·67	–	·98	2 89
10 to 15,	3·38	1·64	4·91	7·56	·83	7 52	1·94	–	1·83	1·12
15 to 20,	8·55	1·95	1·72	2·43	·16	14·50	1·57	–	9·25	2·31
20 to 30,	26·49	3 13	1·51	2·33	·11	24·83	3·55	–	28·48	6·22
30 to 40,	10·36	1·07	·45	1 39	·13	11·32	3·71	–	19·18	7·20
40 to 50,	4·38	·92	·11	·65	·05	7·83	4·02	–	12·55	8·25
50 to 60,	2·96	·35	·10	·41	·06	6·35	5·07	–	8·71	9·16
60 to 70,	1·75	·42	·05	·41	·02	6·22	6·93	–	7·48	11·66
70 to 80,	·91	·48	·02	·19	·02	4·75	8·50	–	4·57	11·65
Over 80,	·54	·15	–	·04	·02	1·73	5·82	–	1·01	6·15
Not stated,	1·24	·26	·19	·23	·15	·44	·44	–	·37	·34

TABLE 95. — *Deaths from Brain Disorders, 1861–1885.*

YEARS.	Softening of the Brain.	Apoplexy.	Paralysis.	Insanity.	Cephalitis and Unspecified Brain Diseases.	Totals.
1861, .	42	274	417	61	764	1,558
1862, .	48	251	401	66	716	1,482
1863, .	38	268	471	62	798	1,632
1864, .	46	321	473	64	1,068	1,972
1865, .	43	263	479	75	964	1,824
1866, .	58	261	487	106	885	1,797
1867, .	41	281	469	111	806	1,708
1868, .	56	311	630	91	922	2,010
1869, .	67	331	607	87	923	2,015
1870, .	74	394	630	103	968	2,169
1871, .	71	390	714	89	998	2,262
1872, .	94	409	791	103	1,487	2,884
1873, .	90	431	858	88	1,184	2,651
1874, .	103	433	775	100	1,134	2,545
1875, .	99	460	896	118	1,142	2,715
1876, .	95	507	826	146	1,053	2,627
1877, .	109	544	873	112	1,011	2,649
1878, .	118	562	895	152	1,182	2,909
1879, .	105	663	928	118	1,132	2,946
1880, .	121	746	933	142	1,422	3,364
1881, .	112	715	998	129	1,398	3,355
1882, .	112	706	1,047	153	1,375	3,393
1883, .	122	784	1,056	183	1,417	3,562
1884, .	136	857	1,119	166	1,391	3,669
1885, .	126	1,003	1,132	188	1,445	3,894

TABLE 96. — *Death-Rates from Brain Diseases in Census Years.*

	Death-Rates.					
	1860.	1865.	1870.	1875.	1880.	1885.
Mortality-rates per 10,000 from —						
Apoplexy, ...	1·93	2·08	2·70	2·78	4·19	5·12
Softening of the Brain, .	·36	·33	·58	·59	·68	·65
Paralysis, ...	3·26	3·78	4·32	5 43	5·23	5·82
Insanity, ...	·58	·59	·71	·71	·71	·96
Cephalitis and Brain Disorders, ...	5·93	7·61	6·04	6·91	6·19	7·46
Totals, ...	12·06	14·39	14·95	16·42	17·00	20·05

Brain Diseases.—Three thousand eight hundred and ninety-four deaths occurred from disorders of the brain in 1885 (Table 95) — 2,003 males and 1,891 females, which is a sex difference of 112, as compared with 69 in the previous year. Of this mumber, 559 males and 573 females died from paralysis; 638 males and 527 females, from cephalitis; 494 males and 509 females, from apoplexy; 93 males and 95 females, from insanity; 73 males and 53 females, from softening of the brain; 146 males and 134 females, from unspecified diseases.

From apoplexy and paralysis taken together, 613 deaths occurred between the ages of 70 and 80; 471, between 60 and 70; 365 over 80; 308, between 50 and 60; 180, between 40 and 50; 109, between 30 and 40; 81 under 30. Fifteen deaths from paralysis and 5 from apoplexy took place under 5 years. The largest increase over the statistics of 1884 is found in the mortality from apoplexy.

Table 96 shows the death-rates from the leading brain diseases, in census years. The salient point, which will be observed in studying these statistics, is the steady advance which has been made in the rates since 1860. This increase has been particularly marked during the last five years.

Alcoholism.—Owing to the close connection, which exists between deaths from brain diseases and those from alcoholism and suicide, these subjects have been introduced in this place, instead of in their alphabetical order.

The mortality from alcoholism (including deaths from intemperance and delirium tremens) for twenty years, is exhibited in Table 97, arranged, for facility of comparison, by decades in parallel columns. One hundred and twenty-two deaths took place from this cause in 1885, equal to a ratio to the total mortality of 3·2 per cent. per 1,000, and to a rate of 6·3 per 100,000. These figures indicate an increase of 23 in numbers, ·42 of one per cent. in ratios, and ·83 in rates, over the averages for ten years.

Studying each decade separately, it will be observed that there bas been but little variation in the rates for the past six years, although the lowest record for this period is seen in 1883. For 1877, 1878 and 1879, both the ratios to the total mortality and the rates were exceptionally low. In the preceding decade, 1867 presents a smaller, and 1872 a larger ratio and rate than either of the twenty years under discussion.

Comparing the statistics for the two decades, it will be seen that, in proportion to the whole number of deaths, the average rate was ·2 of one per cent. lower, and the average rate ·6 smaller for the last decade than for the previous ten years.

TABLE 97.—*Deaths from * Alcoholism, 1866–1875 and 1876–1885 (compared).*

YEARS.	1866-1875.			YEARS.	1876-1885.		
	Deaths.	Ratios to Total Mortality per 1,000.	Death-rates per 100,000 Living.		Deaths.	Ratios to Total Mortality per 1,000.	Death-rates per 100,000 Living.
1866, . .	43	1·8	3·3	1876, . .	86	2·6	5·2
1867, . .	35	1·5	2·6	1877, . .	52	1·6	3·1
1868, . .	74	2·9	5·3	1878, . .	65	2·1	3·9
1869, . .	81	3·1	5·7	1879, . .	68	2·1	3·9
1870, . .	75	2·7	5·1	1880, . .	112	3·2	6·3
1871, . .	88	3·2	5·9	1881, . .	123	3·3	6·7
1872, . .	134	3·8	8·7	1882, . .	126	3·4	6·8
1873, . .	109	3·2	6·9	1883, . .	113	2·9	6·0
1874, . .	107	3·3	6·6	1884, . .	125	3·4	6·5
1875, . .	87	2·5	5·2	1885, . .	122	3·2	6·3
Average,	83·3	2·80	5·53	Average,	99.2	2·78	5·47

* Including deaths from intemperance and delirium tremens.

Suicide. — In the following three tables may be studied the mortality from suicide for the last twenty years. Tables 99 and 100 exhibit the statistics by decades and counties. One hundred and seventy-six deaths occurred from this cause in 1885, the largest number, with the exception of that in 1884, for twenty years. Of this number the largest proportion took place in Suffolk County, and the smallest, — if Dukes and Nantucket, in which counties there were no deaths, are excluded, — in Barnstable. Thirty-three deaths from suicide took place in Middlesex, 23 in Worcester and 15 in Norfolk. In proportion to the total mortality in each county, Hampshire has the highest ratio (9·7 per cent.) and Barnstable the lowest (1·8 per cent.). Next to Hampshire comes Norfolk, with 8·8 per cent., and third in order Berkshire, with 8·3 per cent.

Studying the statistics for the last ten years as a whole (Table 99), it will be seen that Hampshire again has the highest average ratio, per 1,000, to the total mortality (6 2 per cent.), and Dukes and Nantucket the lowest (2·5 per cent.). The remaining counties stand in the following order: — Norfolk, 6·0 per cent; Worcester, 5·4 per cent.; Franklin, 4·9 per cent.; Berkshire, 4·8 per cent.; Plymouth, 4·6 per cent.; Suffolk, 4·5 per cent.; Essex, 4·3 per cent.; Middlesex, 4·0 per cent.; Hampden, 3·8 per cent.; Bristol, 3·3 per cent.; Barnstable, 3·2 per cent.

One death from suicide occurred in 1885 between the ages of 5 and 10; four, between 15 and 20; thirty-two, between 20 and 30; thirty-nine, between 30 and 40; thirty-four, between 40 and 50; twenty-six, between 50 and 60; twenty-four, between 60 and 70; thirteen, between 70 and 80; one over 80.

Comparing the statistics for the two decades, it is fonud that, in proportion to the total mortality, the average ratio for the State has increased, in the last ten years, ·8 of one per cent. over the proportion for the previous decade, and the ratios for the different counties as follows: — Berkshire, 2·6 per cent.; Hampshire, 2·1 per cent.; Suffolk, 1·6 per cent.; Dukes and Nantucket, 1·2 per cent.; Essex and Norfolk, 1·1 per cent. each; Worcester, ·6 of one per cent.; Hampden, ·5 of one per cent.; Barnstable, ·3 of one per cent.; Bristol and Franklin, ·2 of one per cent. each.; Plymouth, ·1 of one per

cent. In Middlesex there has been a decrease of ·2 of one per cent.

If the counties are divided, according to their geographical situations, into two sections — the eastern and western — it appears that the average increase in the ratios to the total mortality in the last, as compared with the first decade, has been 4·9 per cent. in the former division, and 5·8 per cent. in the latter. It would thus seem that, contrary to the experience in England, viz., that suicide is most prevalent in regions where the education is most widely spread, this cause of death is more common in the rural than in the thickly settled portions of Massachusetts.

Again, considering the State as a whole, it is seen that, while the population increased 26.7 per cent. between 1866 and 1875, and 17·5 per cent. during the last ten years, the number of deaths from suicide has increased 48.5 per cent. since 1866, equal to an average advance in each decade of 23.9 per cent. In the same period of twenty years the mortality from all causes has increased 20.7 per cent.

TABLE 98. — *Deaths from Suicide, by Counties, 1866–1875.*

COUNTIES.	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	TOTALS.	
											Numbers.	Ratios to Total Mortality per 1,000.
THE STATE, . . .	73	75	88	92	91	122	117	117	115	159	1,049	3 6
Barnstable, ...	–	3	–	2	1	4	2	–	–	4	16	2·9
Berkshire, ...	2	1	1	2	6	3	2	1	2	3	23	2·2
Bristol, ...	12	10	5	2	3	7	6	8	7	7	67	3·1
Dukes and Nantucket, . .	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1·3
Essex, ...	7	9	15	11	7	11	13	16	14	23	126	3·2
Franklin, ...	2	2	1	3	1	3	7	–	4	3	26	4·7
Hampden, ...	2	2	6	5	6	8	10	4	5	5	53	3·3
Hampshire, ...	–	4	3	5	–	4	3	5	5	2	31	4 1
Middlesex, ...	12	17	16	17	13	27	15	26	26	29	198	4·2
Norfolk, ...	7	3	6	5	6	6	6	5	9	8	61	4·9
Plymouth, ...	7	2	1	5	4	8	8	6	4	6	51	4·5
Suffolk, ...	11	9	18	12	28	28	29	32	20	40	227	2·9
Worcester, ...	11	13	16	21	16	13	16	14	19	29	168	4·8

TABLE 99. — *Deaths from Suicide, by Counties, 1876–1885.*

COUNTIES.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	TOTALS.	
											Numbers.	Ratios to Total Mortality per 1,000.
THE STATE,	119	163	126	161	133	165	162	167	184	176	1,556	4·4
Barnstable,	1	1	3	3	–	1	4	2	2	1	18	3·2
Berkshire,	2	7	4	3	3	6	7	4	9	11	56	4·8
Bristol,	6	8	8	11	6	13	10	10	13	12	97	3·3
Dukes and Nantucket,	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	5	2·5
Essex,	16	33	22	17	14	26	27	20	19	13	207	4·3
Franklin,	1	1	2	4	5	3	–	1	8	3	28	4·9
Hampden,	2	7	2	7	12	12	3	12	14	5	76	3·8
Hampshire,	3	2	5	6	3	5	3	4	10	8	51	6·2
Middlesex,	23	28	22	22	25	23	17	24	20	33	237	4·0
Norfolk,	9	13	7	12	8	8	5	10	8	15	95	6·0
Plymouth,	4	6	3	12	1	4	7	6	5	6	54	4·6
Suffolk,	33	34	33	35	39	41	55	45	53	46	414	4·5
Worcester,	18	22	15	29	16	22	22	28	23	23	218	5·4

Table 100 shows the mortality-rate from suicide per 100,000 for a period of twenty years. That for 1885 is 9·1, or but ·3 higher than the average for the past ten years. The fluctuations in the rates, from year to year, are quite noticeable in the past decade, during which period 1881 exhibits a higher rate than any year of the past twenty. Next in order stands 1877, with 1875 and 1884 occupying the third place. Comparing the statistics for the two decades, it will be noticed that the average annual number of deaths was 51 more, and the average rate 1·8 greater in the second than in the first decade.

TABLE 100.—*Death-Rates from Suicide per 100,000, 1866–1875 and 1876–1885 (compared).*

	Deaths.	Death-Rates per 100,000.		Deaths.	Death-Rates per 100,000.
1866, . . .	73	5·6	1876, . . .	119	7.2
1867, . . .	75	5·6	1877, . . .	163	9·8
1868, . . .	88	6·4	1878, . . .	126	7.6
1869, . . .	92	6·5	1879, . . .	161	9·4
1870, . . .	91	6·2	1880, . . .	133	7·4
1871, , . .	122	8·2	1881, . . .	165	9 9
1872, . . .	117	7·6	1882, . . .	162	8·8
1873, . . .	117	7·4	1883, . . .	167	8.9
1874, . . .	115	7·1	1884, . . .	184	9.6
1875, . . .	159	9·6	1885, . . .	176	9·1
Average, .	105	7·0	Average, .	156	8·8

TABLE 101. — *Deaths from Bright's Disease, by Counties. — 1871–1885.*

COUNTIES.	Population. 1885.	DEATHS.														
		1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Barnstable,	29,845	2	–	2	1	6	4	4	6	8	4	4	12	9	9	6
Berkshire,	73,828	3	2	5	6	9	6	5	12	16	6	6	16	20	23	20
Bristol,	158,498	4	5	15	16	20	10	15	21	23	38	39	57	63	68	62
Dukes and Nantucket,	7,277	–	2	–	1	1	1	4	–	–	1	4	2	–	6	6
Essex,	263,727	6	13	25	41	34	35	32	43	49	51	87	77	96	76	69
Franklin,	37,449	1	1	–	1	5	1	5	4	7	5	12	9	4	16	13
Hampden,	116,764	6	7	4	8	10	14	14	7	24	12	23	28	17	31	35
Hampshire,	48,472	2	2	3	6	7	7	6	3	12	10	13	8	13	18	18
Middlesex,	357,311	39	41	41	46	41	60	61	53	73	73	78	92	101	83	109
Norfolk,	102,142	3	11	12	10	8	17	23	23	14	26	33	23	27	27	30
Plymouth,	81,680	2	6	21	11	17	22	12	18	26	21	19	18	21	27	22
Suffolk,	421,109	109	114	121	124	109	107	118	154	143	133	182	186	175	175	182
Worcester,	244,039	22	19	22	28	26	24	30	39	40	61	63	43	63	60	75
The State,	1,942,141	199	223	271	299	293	308	329	383	435	441	563	571	582	619	647

Bright's Disease. — Six hundred and forty-seven deaths occurred from this affection in 1885 (Table 101), the largest number in fifteen years, and 235 more than the average for this period. The above number represents a rate of 3·33 per 10,000, as compared with 3·23, in 1884; 3·09, in 1883 and 1882; 3·10, in 1881; 2·66, in 1880; 2.63, in 1879; 2·31, in 1878; 1·99, in 1877; 1·86, in 1876. In other words, the rate for the past year is ·60 greater than the mean for the last ten years.

In Dukes and Nantucket, and Hampshire counties the mortality was the same as in 1884, while in Hampden, Middlesex, Norfolk, Suffolk and Worcester, it was greater. The most marked increase over the statistics for the previous year was in Middlesex.

In proportion to the total mortality in 1885, it will be seen, by Table 102, that the ratio for the State was ·31 of one per cent. higher than the average for ten years. The highest proportion (2.84 per cent.) is found in Dukes and Nantucket, and the lowest (1·07 per cent.) in Barnstable. Contemplating the average ratios for ten years, it may be observed that the proportions in Norfolk, Plymouth and Suffolk alone are higher than that for the State.

TABLE 102. — *Percentages of Deaths from Bright's Disease to the Total Mortality in each County, 1876–1885.*

COUNTIES.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Average. Ten Years.
Barnstable,	·68	·75	1 00	1·06	·65	·76	2·08	1·56	1·60	1·07	1·12
Berkshire,	·53	·46	1·22	1·54	·53	·45	1·28	1·56	2·78	1·50	1·10
Bristol,	·37	·57	·79	·83	1·27	1 29	1·75	2·14	2·14	1·89	1·30
Dukes and Nantucket,	58	1·70	–	–	·57	1·92	·95	–	3·22	2·84	1·19
Essex,	·74	·70	·98	1·04	1·03	1·82	1·55	1·37	1·57	1·45	1·22
Franklin,	·19	·98	·81	1·07	·86	1·98	1·53	·74	2·38	2·19	1·26
Hampden,	·78	·85	·41	1·23	·57	1·09	1·28	·77	1·48	1·62	1·09
Hampshire,	·86	·78	·40	1·54	1·17	1·38	1·00	1·48	2·27	2·19	1·31
Middlesex,	1·06	1·13	·96	1·38	1·26	1·26	1·49	1·58	1·33	1·66	1·29
Norfolk,	1·14	1·55	1·66	·93	1·67	2·00	1·38	1·61	1·65	1·76	1·53
Plymouth,	1·65	1·02	1·63	2·27	1·68	1·38	1·32	1·61	2·11	1·53	1 62
Suffolk,	1·24	1·54	1·91	1·83	1·46	1·90	1·95	1·70	1·72	1·78	1·70
Worcester,	·64	·79	1·11	1·13	1·42	1·50	1·00	1·42	1·49	1·69	1·22
The State,	·93	1·04	1·22	1·36	1·24	1·54	1·55	1 54	1·67	1·69	1·38

TABLE 103.—*Mortality from Bright's Disease, by Months and Quarters, 1885.*

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.
Months, . .	59	42	60	66	52	50	65	55	44	38	57	59
Quarters, . .	161			168			164			154		
Percentages, .	24·89			25 96			25·35			23·80		

TABLE 104.—*Mortality from Bright's Disease, by Sex and Age.—1885.*

AGES.	Total Deaths, 1884.	Deaths from Bright's Disease.	Percentages at several Ages.	Males.	Females.	Males to 100 Females.
Under 5, . .	11,956	10	1·56	8	2	400·0
5 to 10, . .	1,358	9	1·39	3	6	50 0
10 to 15, . .	667	7	1·08	6	1	600·0
15 to 20, . .	1,190	13	2·01	6	7	85·7
20 to 30, . .	3,492	75	11·59	38	37	102 7
30 to 40, . .	3,062	85	13·14	33	52	63·5
40 to 50, . .	2,889	95	14·68	55	40	137·5
50 to 60, . .	3,090	124	19·16	62	62	100·0
60 to 70, . .	3,678	109	16·85	80	29	275·8
70 to 80, . .	3,750	93	14·06	56	37	151·3
Over 80, . .	2,829	26	4·02	15	11	136·3
Age not stated, .	133	1	·15	1	–	–
Totals, . .	38,094	647	100·00	363	284	127·8

TABLE 105.—*Total Mortality from Bright's Disease, by Sex and Age, 1874–1885.*

AGES.	Deaths from Bright's Disease.	Percentages at several Ages.	Males.	Females.	Deaths of Males to 100 Deaths of Females.
Under 5,	108	1·98	64	44	145·4
5 to 10,	98	1·79	42	54	77·8
10 to 15,	101	1·85	58	43	134·9
15 to 20,	156	2·86	79	77	102·6
20 to 30,	650	11·89	306	344	88·9
30 to 40,	714	13·06	357	357	100·0
40 to 50,	775	14·18	455	320	142·1
50 to 60,	928	16·98	577	451	127·9
60 to 70,	1,031	18·86	670	361	185·5
70 to 80,	720	13·17	444	276	160·9
Over 80,	171	3·13	109	62	175·8
Age not stated,	14	·25	7	7	100·0
Totals,	5,466	100·00	3,170	2,296	138·0

The largest number of deaths took place in April and the second quarter, as compared with January and the first quarter in the preceding year. For a period of ten years previous to 1884, the highest mortality occurred in August and in the third quarter. Of the total number of deaths from Bright's disease, which were reported in 1885, 50·85 per cent. took place in the first half of the year, and 49 15 per cent. in the last half, thereby agreeing with the statistics for the ten years mentioned above. Fifty-six and one-tenth per cent. of the decedents during the past year were males, and 43.9 per cent. were females. Nineteen and sixteen-hundredths per cent. of the total number of deaths occurred between the ages of 50 and 60; 16·85 per cent., between 60 and 70; 14·68 per cent., between 40 and 50; 14·06 per cent., between 70 and 80; 13·14 per cent., between 30 and 40; 11·59 per cent., between 20 and 30; 4·02 per cent. over 80. Although this disease seems to be more fatal to persons of advanced age, yet it is noticeable that the relative proportion of mortality is becoming greater in the earlier periods of adult life. The proportion of male deaths to those of females for all ages in 1885—127·8 males to every hundred females—was somewhat smaller than in the preceding two years, which years exhibited ratios of

133·6 to one hundred, and 132·8 to one hundred, respectively. The ratio for the past twelve years is 138·0 males to every one hundred females.

TABLE 106. — *Deaths from Cancer,* by Counties, 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Deaths.	Percentages of Total Mortality.	COUNTIES.	Deaths.	Percentages of Total Mortality.
Barnstable, . .	24	4·28	Hampshire, . .	25	3·05
Berkshire, . . .	31	2·33	Middlesex, . .	195	2·93
Bristol, . . .	89	2·72	Norfolk, . . .	61	3·58
Dukes and Nantucket,	9	4·26	Plymouth, . .	43	3·00
Essex, . . .	160	3·36	Suffolk, . . .	276	2·71
Franklin, . . .	23	3·88	Worcester, . .	112	2·53
Hampden, . . .	39	1·81	The State, . .	1,087	2·84

* Including Epithelioma.

TABLE 107. — *Mortality from Cancer, by Decades, Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Deaths.	Death-Rates per 10,000 of Population.	YEARS.	Deaths.	Death-Rates per 10,000 of Population.
1866, . .	416	3·2	1876, . .	657	3·9
1867, . .	395	2·9	1877, . .	646	3·9
1868, . .	445	3·2	1878, . .	807	4·8
1869, . .	492	3·4	1879, . .	862	5·2
1870, . .	516	3·5	1880, . .	928	5·6
1871, . .	551	3·3	1881, . .	949	5·2
1872, . .	542	3·2	1882, . .	987	5·3
1873, . .	611	3·6	1883, . .	1,026	5·4
1874, . .	585	3·5	1884, . .	1,060	5·5
1875, . .	593	3·5	1885, . .	1,087	5·6
Average, .	515	3·3	Average, .	901	5·0

Cancer. — Of the 1,087 deaths from cancer, including 17 from epithelioma, and 100 from cancer of the uterus, 748 occurred in females, or 42 more than in the preceding year, and 197 more than the aggregate for both sexes in 1871.

In proportion to the total mortality in each county, the percentage is greatest in Barnstable, and next in Dukes and Nantucket; while Hampden exhibits the lowest ratio.

In Table 107 may be studied the deaths and death-rates from cancer for twenty years, by decades. As showing more at length the advance in the mortality from this disease, to which reference has been made in previous reports, it is noticeable that the rate per 10,000 for the past decade (5 04) has increased 1·7 over that for the previous ten years.

TABLE 108. — *Mortality from Cholera Infantum — Ten Years.*

YEARS.	Deaths from Cholera Infantum.	Death-Rate per 10,000 of Population.	YEARS.	Deaths from Cholera Infantum.	Death-Rate per 10,000 of Population.
1876, . .	2,087	12·63	1882, . .	2,159	11·69
1877, . .	1,927	11 63	1883, . .	1,941	10·32
1878, . .	1,573	9·44	1884, . .	2,081	10·87
1879, . .	1,349	7·86	1885, . .	1,852	9·52
1880, . .	2,118	11·31			
1881, . .	1,861	10·25	Average, .	1,518	–

Cholera Infantum caused 1,852 deaths (991 males and 861 females), as compared with 2,081 in 1884, 1,941 in 1883, and 1,518, as the average for ten years. This is equal to a rate of 9·52 per 10,000 of the population, which is 1·35 less than that for the previous year, and 1·03 lower than the mean rate for the decade. Seven hundred and eighty-nine deaths occurred in July; 700, in August; 212, in September; 52, in October; 46, in June; 14, in November; 13, in March; 12 each, in April and May; 9, in January; 8, in December; 5, in February. Ninety-one and eight-tenths per cent. of the total number of deaths took place in July, August and September.

TABLE 109.—*Diarrhœal Diseases, 1876–1885.*

YEARS.	Diarrhœa.	Dysentry.	Cholera Infantum.	Cholera	Enteritis.	Diarrhœal Diseases.
1876, . . .	335	417	2,087	91	357	3,287
1877, . . .	343	580	1,927	60	395	3,305
1878, . . .	365	602	1,573	68	388	2,996
1879, . . .	370	372	1,349	77	392	2,560
1880, . . .	480	395	2,118	116	492	3,601
1881, . . .	458	360	1,861	68	456	3,203
1882, . . .	488	398	2,159	136	528	3,709
1883, . . .	516	336	1,941	84	523	3,400
1884, . . .	522	254	2,081	108	549	3,514
1885, . . .	450	253	1,852	86	608	3,249

The different diarrhœal diseases, classed together (Table 109), caused 265 fewer deaths than in 1884, and 33 less than the annual mean for ten years. They constituted 8·5 per cent. of the entire mortality for the year, a ratio which is 1 per cent. less than that for the previous year, ·5 of one per cent. less than in 1883, 1·6 per cent. less than 1882, ·3 of one per cent. less than in 1881, and 1·7 per cent. less than the record for 1880. Enteritis caused more deaths than in any year of the decade, while the mortality from dysentery was the smallest for ten years.

TABLE 110.—*Mortality from Diarrhœal Diseases, and Meteorology* in the third or Summer Quarter of each Year.—1879–1885.*

YEARS.	Population.	Mortality from Diarrhœal Diseases.		Mean Temperature.		Mean Barometer.		Mean Humidity.	Mean Rain-fall.	
		Deaths.	Annual Rate per 1,000.	Means.	Ranges.	Means.	Ranges.		Amount in Inches.	Number of Days.
1879, ...	1,717,200†	1,922	4·47	66·1	47·0	26·671	·771	71·8	3·88	12
1880, ...	1,783,085	2,592	5·80	68·0	49·0	30·013	·711	70·4	4·04	12
1881, ...	1,814,824†	2,389	5·26	67 9	43·6	35·007	·751	75·3	2·23	8
1882, ...	1,847,128†	2,934	6 35	68·0	42·7	30·023	·731	69·7	5·43	12
1883, ...	1,880,007†	2,541	5·42	66·1	42·3	29·857	·749	70·7	1·54	9
1884, ...	1,913,471†	2,595	5·42	67·4	44·6	29·978	·643	77·4	3 19	10
1885, ...	1,942,141	2,527	5·20	66·1	42·9	29·846	·829	72·2	3·59	11

* Observations taken at Boston. † Estimated.

In Table 110 may be studied the relation between the meteorological changes and the mortality from the diarrhœal diseases, in the summer quarters. With the exception of 1879, the annual death-rate from these affections was less, in 1885, than in either of the seven years mentioned in the table. The mean temperature was also lower, excepting in 1879 and 1883, which years furnished the same record, while the thermometrical ranges were the smallest, with the exception of 1881 and 1883.

The mean of the barometer was the lowest for seven years, excluding 1879, and the ranges, the highest in the above period. The mean humidity was very near the average for the seven years, although much below that for 1884.

TABLE 111. — *Mortality from Pulmonary Consumption, by Counties, 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Deaths.	COUNTIES.	Deaths.
Barnstable, . . .	85	Middlesex, . . .	1,008
Berkshire, ...	174	Norfolk, ...	279
Bristol, ...	452	Plymouth, . . .	251
Dukes and Nantucket, .	17	Suffolk, ...	1,650
Essex, ...	846	Worcester, . . .	695
Franklin, ...	89		
Hampden, ...	293	The State, . . .	5,955
Hampshire, . . .	116		

TABLE 112. — *Percentage of Deaths from Pulmonary Consumption to Total Mortality, by Counties, 1876–1885.*

COUNTIES.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Barnstable,	20·95	22·64	17·70	16·41	18·28	17·97	15·94	17·47	16·46	15 18
Berkshire,	15·39	15·20	13·50	12 52	13·27	12·41	12·96	12·99	11·56	13·10
Bristol,	16·94	17 64	15·93	13·24	14·11	14·26	14·11	15·87	14·11	13·85
Dukes and Nantucket,	21·64	21·36	12·56	17·22	14·22	19·71	15·23	13·97	12·63	8 06
Essex,	16·11	16·89	17·36	16·18	16·28	18·27	15·33	16·54	16·74	17·75
Franklin,	19·11	20·74	14 96	15·04	13·29	18·35	14·45	13·58	15·76	15·01
Hampden,	14·97	16·91	17·67	13·77	15·83	16·85	14·62	14·54	15·15	13·61
Hampshire,	16·20	18·06	17·84	17·78	13 81	18·47	16 06	14 24	15·27	14·15
Middlesex,	15·95	17·03	17·24	18·07	17·12	17·11	17·54	17·18	16 42	15·17
Norfolk,	17·46	16·23	15·83	15·48	15·05	15·68	16·09	15·54	15·77	16·38
Plymouth,	16·09	19·64	16·77	16·25	15·44	13·29	16·31	16·37	17·54	17·51
Suffolk,	16·43	17·28	17·81	10·90	15·49	16 39	16·82	15·34	15 98	16·17
Worcester,	15·95	17·75	16·92	15·90	14·81	15·09	15·36	15·58	14 71	15·73
The State,	16·05	17·41	17·52	15·79	15 56	16·14	15·94	15·71	15·67	15·63

Consumption caused 5,955 deaths in 1885, of which number 2,655 were those of males, and 3,300 those of females. This number represents a ratio to the total mortality (15·63 per cent.) (Table 112), which is less than that for any of the past ten years, with the exception of 1880. Essex County exhibits the highest ratio to its total number of deaths (17·75 per cent.), and Dukes and Nantucket the lowest (8·06 per cent.). Plymouth, Norfolk and Suffolk stand relatively very high.

The mortality by sex and age, as shown in Table 113, differs but little, in the relative proportions for the different periods of life, from the statistics for the previous ten years. Sixty-three and twenty-six one-hundredths per cent. of the total mortality took place between the ages of twenty and fifty; of this ratio, 29·95 per cent. occurred between twenty and thirty. The record for 1884 was 63·22 per cent. and 30·53 per cent., respectively, for the above periods of life. For all ages, the deaths of males were in the ratio of 80·5 to every one hundred deaths of females, a proportion which is 3 in each one hundred less than in 1884. Between the ages of 50 and 70, the mortality among males was in excess of that among females.

TABLE 113. — *Mortality from Pulmonary Consumption by Sex and Age, 1885.*

AGES.	Total Deaths.	Deaths from Consumption.	Percentages at Several Ages.	Males.	Females.	Deaths of Males to 100 Deaths of Females.
Under 5, . .	11,956	260	4·37	143	117	81·8
5 to 10, . .	1,358	60	1·01	15	45	33·3
10 to 15, . .	667	112	1·88	29	83	34·9
15 to 20, . .	1,190	573	9·62	201	372	54·0
20 to 30, . .	3,492	1,783	29·95	755	1,028	73·4
30 to 40, . .	3,062	1,190	19·98	530	660	80·3
40 to 50, . .	2,889	794	13·33	387	407	95·1
50 to 60, . .	3,090	511	8·58	271	240	112 9
60 to 70, . .	3,678	373	6·27	191	182	104·9
70 to 80, . .	3,750	227	3·81	110	117	94·0
Over 80, . .	2,829	65	1·09	22	43	51·2
Ages not stated, .	133	7	·11	1	6	16·7
Totals, . .	38,094	5,955	100·00	2,655	3,300	80·5

The highest percentage of deaths occurred, as usual, in the first quarter of the year, and the lowest in the fourth quarter. The greatest number of deaths took place in March, and the smallest in October, as against April and June, as shown by the statistics for the preceding eleven years.

TABLE 114.—*Mortality from Pulmonary Consumption, by Months and Quarters, 1885.*

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.
Months, . .	498	497	580	570	522	455	476	505	472	443	468	469
Quarters, . .	1,575			1,547			1,453			1,380		
Percentages, .	26·4			26 1			24·4			23·1		

In furtherance of the investigation commenced in a previous report, Table 115 has been computed to show, by decades, the mortality from consumption for the past twenty years. Although the deaths in 1885 were more numerous than in any year of the period, yet the rate was the smallest, with the exception of that for 1884, for twenty years. The uniformity in the rates from year to year is very noticeable. Nevertheless, the mean for the last decade is 1·3 less than the average for the first ten years, thereby verifying the statement that, while the mortality from cancer is increasing, that from conumption is becoming smaller.

TABLE 115. — *Mortality from Pulmonary Consumption, by Decades—Twenty Years.*

YEARS.	Deaths.	Death-Rates per 10,000 of Population.	YEARS.	Deaths.	Death-Rates per 10,000 of Population.
1866, . . .	4,600	35·2	1876, . . .	5,327	32·2
1867, . . .	4,362	32·5	1877, . . .	5,457	33·0
1868, . . .	4,437	32·2	1878, . . .	5,334	32·2
1869, . . .	4,659	32·8	1879, . . .	5,223	31·6
1870, . . .	5,003	34·3	1880, . . .	5,494	33·2
1871, . . .	5,070	30·6	1881, . . .	5,886	32·4
1872, . . .	5,556	33·6	1882, . . .	5,865	31·2
1873, . . .	5,556	33·6	1883, . . .	5,931	31·5
1874, . . .	5,284	31 9	1884, . . .	5,798	30·3
1875, . . .	5,738	34·7	1885, . . .	5,955	30·5
Average, . .	5,026	33·1	Average, .	5,627	31·8

TABLE 116. — *Deaths from Diphtheria and Croup, by Counties, 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Deaths from Diphtheria and Croup, **1885.**	COUNTIES.	Deaths from Diphtheria and Croup, **1885.**
Barnstable, . . .	2	Hampshire, . . .	14
Berkshire, ...	118	Middlesex, . . .	267
Bristol, ...	111	Norfolk, ...	31
Dukes and Nantucket, .	7	Plymouth, ...	53
Essex, ...	162	Suffolk, ...	480
Franklin, ...	3	Worcester, ...	200
Hampden, ...	75	The State, . . .	1,523

TABLE 117.—*Mortality from Diphtheria and Croup—Twenty-five Years.*

YEARS.	Deaths.			Percentages of Deaths from all Causes.			Deaths to every 10,000 Living.		
	Croup.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Croup.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Croup.	Diphtheria.	Total.
1861, .	461	643	1,104	1·89	2·64	4·53	3·7	5·2	8·9
1862, .	484	663	1,147	2·08	2·85	4·93	3·9	5·3	9·2
1863, .	864	1,420	2,284	3·09	5·08	8·17	6·9	11 3	18·2
1864, .	768	1,231	1,999	2·66	4·27	6·93	6·1	9·8	15·9
1865, .	504	672	1,176	1·91	2·56	4·47	4·0	5·3	9·3
1866, .	431	399	830	1·79	1·65	3·44	3·3	3·1	6·4
1867, .	366	251	607	1·53	1·07	2 60	2·6	1·9	4·5
1868, .	485	297	782	1 92	1·18	3·10	3·5	2·2	5·7
1869, .	473	296	769	1·84	1·15	2·99	3·3	2 1	5·4
1870, .	434	242	676	1·61	·89	2·50	2·9	1·7	4·6
1871, .	473	274	747	1·69	·97	2·66	3·2	1·8	5·0
1872, .	480	273	753	1·38	·78	2·16	3·1	1·8	4·9
1873, .	435	310	745	1·28	·92	2·20	2·8	1·9	4·7
1874, .	411	502	913	1·28	1·56	2·84	3·5	3·1	5·6
1875, .	680	1,200	1,880	1·92	3·39	5·31	4·1	7·3	11·4
1876, .	684	2,610	3,294	2·13	8·11	10·24	4·1	15·8	19·9
1877, .	544	2,634	3,178	1·78	8·65	10·43	3·3	15·8	19·1
1878, .	583	1,934	2,517	1·91	6·35	8·26	3·4	11·6	15·0
1879, .	559	1,734	2,293	1·69	5·24	6·93	3·3	10·1	13·4
1880, .	625	1,769	2,394	1 77	5·01	6·78	3·6	9·9	13·5
1881, .	677	1,706	2,383	1·88	4·67	6·55	3·2	9·4	12·6
1882, .	491	1,280	1,771	1·33	3·48	4·81	2 6	6·9	9·5
1883, .	530	1,091	1,621	1·40	2·89	4·29	2 8	5·8	8·6
1884, .	562	1,084	1,646	1·52	2·93	4·45	2·9	5·6	8·5
1885, .	520	1,003	1,523	1·36	2·62	3·98	2·7	5·1	7·8

Diphtheria and Croup. — One thousand five hundred and twenty-three (1,523) deaths occurred from these diseases, reckoned together, as compared with 1,646 in 1884, 1,621 in 1883, 1,771 in 1882, 2,383 in 1881 and 2,394 in 1880. With reference to the counties, the largest increase in mortality over the statistics for the previous year was in Plymouth. In the remaining counties, with the exception of Essex and Worcester, the number of deaths was less than in 1883. The rate per 10,000 is 2·7 for croup, which is the lowest, excepting in 1882, since 1861, and that for diphtheria is 5·1, being the smallest for eleven years. Together they form a rate (7·8), which is 2 lower than the average for twenty-five years. In proportion to the total mortality from all causes, the ratio is ·24 of one per cent. below the mean for the above period.

TABLE 118. — *Deaths from Dysentery, by Counties, 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Deaths from Dysentery. 1885.	COUNTIES.	Deaths from Dysentery. 1885.
Barnstable, . . .	7	Middlesex, . . .	44
Berkshire, ...	7	Norfolk, ...	7
Bristol, ...	29	Plymouth, . . .	5
Dukes and Nantucket, .	1	Suffolk, ...	60
Essex, ...	28	Worcester, . . .	34
Franklin, ...	10		
Hampden, ...	16	The State, . . .	253
Hampshire, . . .	5		

Dysentery caused 253 deaths in 1885, or one less than in the preceding year. Of this number, 94 took place in August, 54 in September and 41 in July — a total which is equal to 74 per cent. of the entire mortality from this disease. Thirty-eight per cent. of the deaths were of children and infants under five years of age, and 30 per cent. of persons over sixty.

TABLE 119. — *Mortality from Measles, 1860–1885.*

YEARS.	Deaths.	Deaths to 100 Deaths from all causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.	YEARS.	Deaths.	Deaths to 100 Deaths from all causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.
1860, .	224	·95	1·8	1873, .	180	·53	1·1
1861, .	209	·86	1·7	1874, .	161	·50	1·0
1862, .	369	1·59	2·9	1875, .	233	·67	1·4
1863, .	142	·51	1·1	1876, .	47	·14	·3
1864, .	320	1·12	2·5	1877, .	135	·44	·8
1865, .	136	·52	1·1	1878, .	305	1·00	1·8
1866, .	109	·46	·8	1879, .	19	·06	·1
1867, .	194	·85	1·5	1880, .	236	·67	1·3
1868, .	287	1·12	2·1	1881, .	230	·63	1·3
1869, .	222	·85	1·6	1882, .	68	·19	·4
1870, .	269	·98	1·8	1883, .	321	·85	1·7
1871, .	131	·47	·9	1884, .	75	·23	·4
1872, .	428	1·22	2·8	1885, .	313	·82	1·6

Measles. — Only four times in the past twenty-six years has the number of deaths (313), which took place in 1885, been equalled or exceeded, although the rate per 10,000 (1·6) is but ·2 higher than the average for the above period.

Of the total number of deaths, 258, or 82 per cent. occurred below the age of five, 3 between the ages of 60 and 70, and one over 80.

TABLE 120. — *Deaths from Pneumonia, by Counties, 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Deaths.	COUNTIES.	Deaths.
Barnstable, . . .	43	Hampshire, . . .	57
Berkshire, ...	135	Middlesex, . . .	643
Bristol, ...	274	Norfolk, ...	154
Dukes and Nantucket, .	9	Plymouth, . . .	104
Essex, ...	411	Suffolk, ...	938
Franklin, ...	64	Worcester, . . .	423
Hampden, ...	213	The State, . . .	3,468

TABLE 121. — *Percentages of Deaths from Pneumonia to Total Mortality, by Counties, 1876–1885.*

COUNTIES.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Barnstable,	6·64	6·23	4·51	6·20	4·94	7 83	8·49	6·92	5·19	7·67
Berkshire,	10·65	6·08	9·27	11·41	10·61	8·81	9 66	10·02	6·76	10·16
Bristol,	8·35	5·41	4·86	7·26	6·70	6·33	6 73	7·66	6·14	8·38
Dukes and Nantucket,	5·26	2·99	5·12	6·32	2·86	4·32	2·38	5·91	2·75	4 26
Essex,	7·66	5 95	6·79	8·02	9·13	7·38	7·18	7 02	6·29	8·62
Franklin,	10·81	10·37	12·09	13·62	9·33	8·59	10·88	10·70	6·84	10·79
Hampden,	7·63	6·26	7·24	8 04	7·82	9·39	8·94	8·78	7·26	9·89
Hampshire,	9·10	7·96	8·38	9·11	10·54	10 37	8·53	12·52	6·44	6·95
Middlesex,	6·05	6·23	6·88	7·48	8·84	8·44	8·18	7·72	7·81	9·68
Norfolk,	7 05	5·61	6·94	6·88	9·52	7·88	8·86	7·65	6·69	9·04
Plymouth,	7·06	5·38	5·98	6·82	7·96	6·86	7·16	7·22	5·87	7·25
Suffolk,	6·58	6·53	7·13	8·48	8·84	8·16	7·82	8·06	8·05	9·19
Worcester,	8·34	6·61	7·12	9·98	9·38	9 09	8·46	8·50	7 01	9·57
The State,	7·37	6·29	6·93	8·32	8·68	8·14	7·97	8·07	7·15	9·13

Pneumonia caused 3,468 deaths in 1885 — the largest number which has taken place in any one year since the vital statistics of Massachusetts have been compiled. This is equal to a rate of 17·8 per 10,000, as against 13·8 in 1884, 16·1 in 1883, 15·8 in 1882, 16·3 in 1881, 18·6 in 1880, and 14·8 as the average for fifteen years. In proportion to the total mortality (Table 121), the State, as a whole, exhibits a ratio of 9·13 per cent., or 2·24 per cent. greater than the mean for the past ten years. Franklin County holds relatively the first rank in the above proportion, with a percentage of 10·79, and Dukes and Nantucket the lowest, with a percentage of 4·26. The order of the remaining counties is as follows: — Berkshire, 10·16 per cent.; Hampden, 9·89 per cent.; Middlesex, 9·68 per cent.; Worcester, 9·57 per cent.; Suffolk, 9·19 per cent.; Norfolk, 9·04 per cent.; Essex, 8·62 per cent.; Bristol, 8·38 per cent.; Barnstable, 7·67 per cent.; Plymouth, 7·25 per cent.; Hampshire, 6·75 per cent.

TABLE 122. — *Percentages of Mortality from Pneumonia, by Ages, 1878–1885.*

	PERCENTAGES.							
	1885.	1884.	1883.	1882.	1881.	1880.	1879.	1878.
Under 5, . .	26·9	26·6	26·3	27·4	30·7	31·4	28·0	36·2
5 to 10, . .	3·5	2·9	3·3	2·6	2·9	2·2	2·1	3·6
10 to 20, . .	3·1	3·4	3·2	3·1	3·2	3·1	4·0	2·7
20 to 30, . .	6·1	6·6	7·5	6·6	6·3	6·8	6·3	5·6
30 to 40, . .	7·1	8·9	7·4	8·6	7·6	7·7	8·1	6·4
40 to 50, . .	8·5	10·1	10·0	8·7	8·2	8·2	8·2	7·6
50 to 60, . .	10·8	10·5	10·4	10·3	9·7	9·4	9·9	7·6
60 to 70, . .	13·6	12·4	12·4	13·2	11·3	12·1	13·4	10·4
70 to 80, . .	12·5	11·9	12·4	12·0	12·3	12·2	13·0	12·4
Over 80, . .	7·6	6·4	6·8	7·1	7·0	6·6	6·8	7·3
Age not stated, .	·3	·3	·3	·4	·2	·3	·2	·2
All ages, . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE 123. — *Mortality from Pneumonia, by Months and Quarters, 1885.*

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.
Months, . .	403	483	619	598	379	156	94	71	96	148	169	252
Quarters, . .	1,505			1,133			261			569		
Percentages, .	43·39			32 67			7·53			16·41		

Table 122 exhibits the number of deaths from pneumonia by ages for a series of years. The proportions for the several periods of life are very uniform from year to year.

In Table 123 is shown the mortality by seasons. The largest number of deaths (619) took place in March, and in the first quarter, and the smallest (71) in August, and in the third quarter. The difference in the percentages for the first and third quarter is very marked.

TABLE 124. — *Mortality from Scarlet Fever, by Counties, 1885.*

COUNTIES.	Deaths. 1885.	COUNTIES.	Deaths. 1885.
Barnstable, ...	–	Hampshire, ...	17
Berkshire, ...	13	Middlesex, ...	112
Bristol, ...	20	Norfolk, ...	37
Dukes and Nantucket, .	1	Plymouth, ...	34
Essex, ...	61	Suffolk, ...	189
Franklin, ...	11	Worcester, ...	33
Hampden, ...	59	The State, ...	587

TABLE 125. — *Mortality from Scarlet Fever, 1862–1885.*

YEARS.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Deaths from all causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.	YEARS.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Deaths from all causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.
1862, . .	1,261	5·42	10·1	1874, . .	1,382	4·33	8·6
1863, . .	1,399	5·01	11·1	1875, . .	1,684	4·81	10·2
1864, . .	1,503	5·21	11·9	1876, . .	1,222	3·79	7·4
1865, . .	807	3·06	6·4	1877, . .	467	1·53	2·8
1866, . .	385	1·58	2·9	1878, . .	404	1·33	2·4
1867, . .	828	3·63	6·2	1879, . .	850	2·63	4·9
1868, . .	1,369	5·35	9·1	1880, . .	574	1·63	3·2
1869, . .	1,405	5·39	9·9	1881, . .	397	1·09	2·2
1870, . .	683	2·49	4·7	1882, . .	318	·87	1·7
1871, . .	867	3·10	5·8	1883, . .	575	1·52	3·5
1872, . .	1,377	3·93	8·9	1884, . .	627	1·69	3·3
1873, . .	1,472	4·34	9·4	1885, . .	587	1·54	3·0

Scarlet Fever. — Five hundred and eighty-seven deaths took place from scarlet fever in 1885, as compared with 627 in 1884. This is equal to a rate of 3·0 per 10,000, as against an average rate of 6·2 for the past twenty-four years, and 4·4 as the mean for the last twelve years. In five years only of the above period has the rate been lower. In proportion to the total mortality, the ratio for 1885 is ·1 of one per cent. lower than the average for the twenty-four years.

Of the 587 deaths, 282 were of males, and 305 of females. Three hundred and sixty-three deaths, or 61·8 per cent., occurred under five years of age; 168, between 5 and 10; 31, between 13 and 15; 10, between 15 and 20; 11, between 20 and 30; 3, between 30 and 40. Seventy deaths took place in April, 64 in May, 58 in March, 57 each in January and Febru-

ary, 53 each in June and December, 44 in November, 39 in July, 34 in September, 30 in October, and 28 in August. Sixty-one and one-tenth per cent. occurred in the first half of the year, as compared with 49·4 per cent. in 1884.

TABLE 126.—*Mortality from Small-Pox—Thirty Years.*

YEARS.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Deaths from all Causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.	YEARS.	Deaths.	Percentages of Deaths to Deaths from all Causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.
1856, . .	140	·68	1·2	1871, . .	294	1·05	1·9
1857, . .	23	·11	·2	1872, . .	1,029	2·94	6·7
1858, . .	12	·10	·1	1873, . .	668	1·97	4·3
1859, . .	255	1 22	2·1	1874, . .	26	·08	·2
1860, . .	334	1·45	2·7	1875, . .	34	·09	·2
1861, . .	33	·14	·3	1876, . .	31	·09	·2
1862, . .	40	·17	·3	1877, . .	24	·08	·15
1863, . .	42	·15	·3	1878, . .	2	·007	·012
1864, . .	242	·84	1·9	1879, . .	7	·02	·04
1865, . .	221	·84	1·7	1880, . .	38	·11	·21
1866, . .	141	·59	1·1	1881, . .	47	·13	·25
1867, . .	196	·82	1·5	1882, . .	45	·12	·24
1868, . .	20	·08	.2	1883, . .	5	·01	·03
1869, . .	59	·22	·4	1884, . .	3	·008	·01
1870, . .	131	·48	·9	1885, . .	19	·05	·10

Small-pox caused 19 deaths, including 1 from vaccination, during the past year — a number which, although considerably larger than the mortality for 1883 and 1884, is, nevertheless, much below the average for the last twenty-six years. Five of the deaths took place in Boston in Suffolk County, 4 in Adams in Berkshire, 4 in Fall River in Bristol, 2 in Holden and 1 in

Blackstone in Worcester, 1 in Haverhill in Essex, 1 in Maynard in Middlesex, and one in Medway in Norfolk. Eight males and 11 females died from the disease; nine children under five years of age; three between 5 and ten; three persons between 20 and 30; two between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60. Five of the deaths occurred in September, four in December, three each in May, October and November, and one in April.

TABLE 127.—*Mortality from Typhoid Fever, 1860–1885.*

YEARS.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Deaths from all Causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.	YEARS.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Deaths from all Causes.	Death-Rates per 10,000 Living.
1860, . .	937	3·97	7·6	1873, . .	1,406	4·15	8·9
1861, . .	989	4·06	7·9	1874, . .	1,147	3·56	7·1
1862, . .	1,135	4·88	9·1	1875, . .	1,059	3·66	6·4
1863, . .	1,442	5·16	11·5	1876, . .	881	2·74	5·3
1864, . .	1,344	4·66	10·7	1877, . .	814	2·67	4·9
1865, . .	1,694	6·43	13·4	1878, . .	679	2·23	4·1
1866, . .	1,091	4·53	8·4	1879, . .	637	1·94	3·7
1867, . .	965	4·24	7.2	1880, . .	882	2·49	4·9
1868, . .	896	3·49	6·5	1881, . .	1,072	2·94	5·9
1869, . .	1,205	4·62	8·5	1882, . .	1,079	2·94	5·6
1870, . .	1,333	4·88	9·1	1883, . .	860	2·28	4·5
1871, . .	1,116	3·99	7·5	1884, . .	875	2·35	4 5
1872, . .	1,703	4·86	11·1	1885, . .	768	2·02	3·9

TABLE 128. — *Deaths from Typhoid Fever, by Counties, 1870-1885.*

COUNTIES.	DEATHS.															
	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Barnstable,	42	38	32	32	20	18	21	22	13	15	13	16	17	7	10	8
Berkshire,	52	58	77	80	66	52	45	63	42	31	19	62	44	56	47	24
Bristol,	82	78	143	130	94	71	71	69	56	48	75	95	112	65	69	61
Dukes and Nantucket,	18	9	11	4	10	9	9	2	4	2	3	3	1	–	3	5
Essex,	189	130	222	141	122	120	100	102	113	96	138	148	149	117	103	101
Franklin,	48	49	38	46	28	30	24	21	12	15	18	22	22	19	17	14
Hampden,	121	99	185	171	112	92	92	56	50	49	75	110	118	83	74	60
Hampshire,	46	41	62	60	58	49	21	29	26	28	26	44	42	23	25	24
Middlesex,	189	166	255	186	184	145	131	108	91	92	127	151	134	130	149	134
Norfolk,	53	43	76	53	46	52	37	30	27	28	33	38	38	44	47	45
Plymouth,	51	50	62	71	55	42	35	25	22	25	38	37	45	27	25	24
Suffolk,	208	200	278	283	235	239	162	167	117	124	160	221	232	174	214	157
Worcester,	234	155	262	149	117	140	133	120	106	84	137	125	125	115	92	102
The State,	1,333	1,116	1,703	1,406	1,147	1,059	881	814	679	637	882	1,072	1,079	860	875	768

TABLE 129. — *Percentages of Deaths from Typhoid Fever to Total Mortality, by Counties, 1876–1885.*

COUNTIES.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Average.
Barnstable,	3·57	4·15	2·17	2·65	2·14	3·06	3·22	1·21	1·78	1·43	2·54
Berkshire,	4 02	5·81	4·29	2·99	1·68	4·75	3 54	4·38	3 64	1·81	3·70
Bristol,	2·69	2·65	2·11	1·73	2·51	3 15	3·44	2·24	2 20	1·86	2 46
Dukes and Nantucket,	5·26	·85	1·86	1·14	1·71	1·44	·48	–	1·65	2·37	1·68
Essex,	2·12	2·25	2 57	2·04	2·78	3·09	2·99	2·32	2·12	2·12	2·44
Franklin,	4·63	4·11	2·46	2·68	3·10	3·63	3·74	3·03	2·73	2·36	3·25
Hampden,	5·12	3·41	2·94	2·51	3·62	5·22	5·41	3·79	2 53	2·79	3·83
Hampshire,	2 62	3·79	3·51	3·59	3·04	4·61	5·27	2·61	3·15	2·92	3·51
Middlesex,	2·32	2·00	1·67	1·74	2·20	2·44	2 17	2·03	2·39	2·02	2·10
Norfolk,	2·48	2·02	1.95	1·87	2·12	2·33	2·29	2·63	2·88	2·64	2·32
Plymouth,	2·63	2·13	1·99	2·10	3·05	2·70	3·32	2·07	1·96	1 66	2·36
Suffolk,	1 87	2·18	1·45	1·59	1·76	2·30	2·43	1·69	2·11	1·53	1·89
Worcester,	3·52	3 18	3·03	2·38	3·21	2·90	2 92	2·61	2·18	2·31	2·82
The State,	2·74	2·67	2·23	1·94	2·49	2·94	2·94	2·28	2·35	2·02	2·46

Typhoid Fever.—There were only 768 deaths from this disease during the past year, the smallest number, with the exception of 1878 and 1879, for twenty-six years. This is equivalent to a rate of 3·9 per 10,000 of the population, which is lower than for any year of the above period, excepting that for 1879. The same is true of the ratio to the total mortality. Four hundred cases terminated fatally among the males, and 368 among the females, of which, as an aggegate, 29 per cent. occurred between the ages of 20 and 30. Ninety-three of the deaths took place between 30 and 40; 92 between 15 and 20; 69 between 40 and 50; 60 between 50 and 60; 58 between 10 and 15; 46 between 5 and 10; 43 under 5; 40 between 60 and 70; 34 between 70 and 80; 9 over 80; 1 with the age not reported.

September is credited with 122 of the gross mortality; October, with 111; August, with 74; December, with 69; November, with 65; February, with 51; March, with 50; July, with 49; May, with 48; January, with 47; April, with 46; June, with 36. Thirty-one and nine-tenths per cent. of the above number occurred in the autumn months.

Table 128 shows the number of deaths by counties, and Table 129 the ratios to the total mortality for a period of years. In reference to the latter computation, it will be observed that, for the State as a whole, the percentage for 1885 is ·42 of one per cent. smaller than the average for ten years. Of all the counties, the greatest proportionate decrease is found in Berkshire, while in Dukes and Nantucket, and in Norfolk there has been a slight increase.

In Table 130 may be studied the death-rates from typhoid fever in the last five census years. It will be observed with great satisfaction, in comparing the mortality-rates for 1885 with the means for the census years, that there has been a great decrease in the fatality of this disease, which has been particularly marked since 1870. The highest average rate (12·7) is exhibited by Dukes and Nantucket Counties, and the lowest (5·6) by Middlesex. The remaining counties stand in the following relative order:—Franklin, 10·9; Hampden, 10·7; Hampshire, 10·0; Berkshire, 9·6; Worcester, 9·3; Barnstable and Plymouth, 8·4 each; Bristol, 7·4; Essex, 7·3; Suffolk, 5·9; Norfolk, 5·7. The average rate for the State is ·5.

TABLE 130. — *Death-Rates per 10,000 from Typhoid Fever in Census Years, 1865–1885, by Counties.*

COUNTIES.	1865.	1870.	1875.	1880.	1885.	Average.
THE STATE, . . .	13·4	9·1	6·4	4·9	3·9	7·5
Barnstable, ...	16·7	12·8	5·6	4·1	2·7	8·4
Berkshire, ...	23·3	8·2	7·6	5·6	3·3	9·6
Bristol, ...	14·5	7·9	5·4	5·4	3·8	7·4
Dukes and Nantucket, . .	17·8	22·7	12·4	3·7	6·9	12·7
Essex, ...	12·9	9·4	5·1	5·6	3·8	7·3
Franklin, ...	25·2	11·6	8·9	4·9	3·7	10·9
Hampden, ...	16·1	15·4	9·7	7·2	5·1	10·7
Hampshire, ...	18·3	10·3	10·9	5·5	4·9	10·0
Middlesex, ...	8·9	6·5	5·1	4·0	3·5	5·6
Norfolk, ...	8·9	5·9	5·9	3·4	4·4	5·7
Plymouth, ...	20·2	7·8	6·0	5·1	2·9	8·4
Suffolk, ...	7·7	7·6	6·6	4·1	3·7	5·9
Worcester, ...	17·7	12·1	6·6	6·0	4·2	9·3

TABLE 131. — *Mortality from Whooping Cough, by Counties, 1875–1884.*

	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Barnstable,	1	2	1	9	3	1	1	–	3	5
Berkshire,	1	16	13	2	8	11	9	2	9	8
Bristol,	44	11	72	14	5	25	41	4	10	14
Dukes and Nantucket,	–	2	3	–	–	–	1	–	–	1
Essex,	23	51	51	43	28	22	27	21	45	34
Franklin,	–	11	10	–	–	1	2	1	4	1
Hampden,	2	14	13	21	16	6	20	21	5	14
Hampshire,	–	11	12	1	–	4	8	18	6	3
Middlesex,	23	48	42	28	36	45	38	18	43	30
Norfolk,	4	14	13	9	6	3	8	2	18	7
Plymouth,	2	6	8	15	6	2	3	3	13	3
Suffolk,	68	139	110	121	103	77	92	37	227	47
Worcester,	24	44	52	39	19	20	15	10	27	17
The State,	192	369	400	302	230	217	265	137	410	184

Whooping Cough. — In comparison with the statistics for the past ten years, the mortality from this disease in 1885 (184) was exceptionally low, 1883 alone furnishing a better record. In proportion to the total number of deaths in each county, the ratio is the highest in Barnstable, while Essex, Hampden and Berkshire stand relatively very high in rank. Ninety-six and seven-tenths per cent. of the entire mortality occurred in infants and children under five years of age.

The greatest number of deaths took place in January. In this month 41 of the cases were fatal; 24 in February; 18 in August; 16 in March; 13 each in April, May and September; 12 in June; 11 in October; 10 in July; 7 in November; 6 in December. One hundred and four of the decedents were males, and 80 were females.

*Meteorology, 1885.**

MONTHS.	Thermometer.				Barometer.		Mean Humidity.	Wind, Velocity in Miles.	Inches of Rain-fall.	Days of Rain or Snow.
	Means.	Maxima.	Minima.	Ranges.	Means.	Ranges.				
January,	27·0	60·1	—1·7	61·8	29·891	1·570	67·0	10,709	5·33	11
February,	20·5	51·5	0·8	50·7	29·779	1·397	66·6	9,244	3·00	13
March,	27·9	58·9	2·9	56·0	29·841	1·097	63·6	10,277	1·15	15
April,	46·3	82·4	27·2	55·2	29·841	1·348	64·2	9,323	3·30	15
May,	52·3	84·4	35·3	49·1	29·856	0·802	71·4	7,811	4·26	15
June,	66·4	91·9	45·3	46·6	29·810	0·824	62·0	8,939	3·70	10
July,	71·3	92·8	51·4	41·4	29 816	0·615	69·8	5,911	1·44	10
August,	67·4	88 8	47·2	41·6	29·832	0·656	75·6	7,431	7 64	13
September,	59·6	84·3	38·7	45·6	29·889	1·207	71·1	6,977	1·70	9
October,	51·1	73·4	32·9	40·5	29·884	1·135	77·8	7,395	5·71	11
November,	43·8	68 8	23·3	45·5	29·764	0·937	74·6	9,332	5·78	13
December,	32·8	61·5	11·8	49·7	29·805	1·610	67·0	10,856	2·09	17
The Year,	47·2	74·9	26·3	48·6	29·834	1·100	69·2	104,205	45·10	–

During the year the wind was N. in 12·8 per cent. of the observations; N. E. in 5·8 per cent.; E. in 10·0 per cent.; S. E. in 4·6 per cent.: S. in 6·4 per cent,; S. W. in 15·6 per cent.; W. in 30·0 per cent.; N. W. in 13·7 per cent.; calm in 1·1 per cent.

* The meteorological records were furnished by O. B. Cole, Observer U. S. Signal Service, Boston.

Mean Monthly Temperature (Fahrenheit), 1877–1885.

MONTHS.	BOSTON.								
	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
January,	23·2	27·6	23·9	34·8	21·9	26·4	25·1	23·8	27·0
February,	32·5	29·1	23·6	32·0	27·7	30·4	29·2	31·0	20·5
March,	34·4	39·4	33·4	32·8	36·4	35·3	31·3	33·5	27·9
April,	43·9	47·2	42·2	46·2	42·8	42·0	44·3	42·7	46·3
May,	55·2	55·7	59·9	62·6	54·9	49·8	55·5	53·8	52·5
June,	66·8	64·1	64·1	67·3	60·6	65·9	69·0	66·0	66·4
July,	70·1	72·9	70·0	70·1	68·5	71·7	71·3	68·0	71·3
August,	71·0	67·8	68·1	68·9	69·5	69·7	67·6	68·3	67·4
September,	63·9	63·1	60·7	64·1	65·7	62·7	59·3	65·8	59·6
October,	50·8	54·9	56·0	50·9	53·3	54·6	47·4	52·3	51·1
November,	40·2	39·7	39·2	37·1	42·4	37·9	42·5	41·4	43·8
December,	35·0	29·5	32·4	25·8	37·8	30·5	28·7	33·1	32·8
Average,	49·2	49·3	48·0	49·6	48·5	48·1	47·6	48·3	47·2

(TABLES)

XLIVth

ANNUAL REPORT

OF

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS,

REGISTERED IN

MASSACHUSETTS,

For the Year ending December 31, 1885.

TABLE I. — POPULATION, [1885.] — BIRTHS,

General Abstract, exhibiting, in Connection with the Population Deaths registered in each County and Town in Massachusetts dur- Children Born, the Nativity of Persons Married, and the Sex and

THE STATE AND COUNTIES.	Population, State Census, 1885.	BIRTHS.								
		Whole No.	SEX.			PARENTAGE.				
			M.	F.	U.	Am.	For.	Am. Fa and For. Mo.	For. Fa. and Am. Mo.	U.
MASSACHUSETTS, .	1,942,141	48,790	25,053	23,716	21	18,822	19,733	4,295	4,577	1,363
BARNSTABLE,	29,845	518	274	244	-	378	72	30	33	5
BERKSHIRE,	73,828	1,901	933	968	-	911	602	174	187	27
BRISTOL, .	158,498	4,190	2,172	2,018	-	1,395	2,013	365	351	66
DUKES, .	4,135	66	38	28	-	44	8	7	2	5
ESSEX, .	263,727	6,070	3,118	2,952	-	2,704	2,194	554	546	72
FRANKLIN, .	37,449	747	382	362	3	429	211	36	48	23
HAMPDEN, .	116,764	3,482	1,798	1,683	1	1,076	1,766	299	305	36
HAMPSHIRE,	48,472	954	476	478	-	457	332	80	80	5
MIDDLESEX,	357,311	8,843	4,555	4,286	2	3,390	3,607	869	875	102
NANTUCKET,	3,142	36	15	21	-	29	2	1	3	1
NORFOLK, .	102,142	2,329	1,160	1,167	2	1,125	752	200	229	23
PLYMOUTH, .	81,680	1,528	780	744	4	1,022	288	99	93	26
SUFFOLK, .	421,109	12,092	6,264	5,826	2	3,456	5,386	1,086	1,254	910
WORCESTER,	244,039	6,034	3,088	2,939	7	2,406	2,500	495	571	62

MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS, 1885.

according to the State Census of 1885, — the Births, Marriages, and ing the year 1885, — distinguishing the Sex and the Parentage of Aggregate and Average Ages of the Number who Died.

MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	NATIVITY.					Persons.	SEX.		No. whose Ages are registered.	AGE.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	U.		M.	F		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
17,052	9,073	4,526	1,882	1,565	6	38,094	18,889	19,205	37,964	1,299,411	34·23
277	238	18	15	6	–	560	258	302	559	29,040	51·95
539	370	83	34	50	2	1,328	626	702	1,322	46,557	35·23
1,445	690	500	124	131	–	3,269	1,630	1,639	3,263	108,472	33·24
49	39	2	3	5	–	105	57	48	105	5,339	50·85
2,430	1,358	552	301	218	1	4,764	2,392	2,372	4,708	169,973	36·10
282	222	26	16	17	1	593	286	307	591	26,905	45·52
1,080	564	310	111	95	–	2,151	1,055	1,096	2,143	66,086	30 84
358	236	64	22	35	1	820	394	426	818	34,601	42·30
3,057	1,552	845	373	287	–	6,642	3,307	3,335	6,637	222,600	33·54
18	17	–	–	1	–	106	43	63	105	5,531	52·68
709	414	150	65	80	–	1,703	851	852	1,703	68,286	40·10
652	489	68	53	42	–	1,433	728	705	1,430	60,222	42·11
4,289	1,800	1,457	595	436	1	10,204	5,104	5,100	10,191	300,300	29·47
1,867	1,084	451	170	162	–	4,416	2,158	2,258	4,389	155,479	35·42

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

Counties and Towns.	Population. State Census, 1885.	Births.								
		Whole No.	Sex.			Parentage.				
			M.	F.	U.	Am.	For.	Am. Fa. and For. M.	For. Fa and Am. M.	U.
BARNSTABLE, .	29,845	518	274	244	–	378	72	30	33	5
Barnstable, .	4,050	58	30	28	–	53	1	3	1	–
Bourne,* . .	1,363	22	14	8	–	22	–	–	–	–
Brewster, . .	934	20	11	9	–	18	–	1	1	–
Chatham, . .	2,028	29	16	13	–	26	–	1	1	1
Dennis, . .	2,923	54	28	26	–	46	2	1	4	1
Eastham, . .	638	9	6	3	–	7	1	1	–	–
Falmouth, . .	2,520	37	14	23	–	26	5	5	–	1
Harwich, . .	2,783	50	21	29	–	49	–	1	–	–
Mashpee, . .	311	6	4	2	–	6	–	–	–	–
Orleans, . .	1,176	18	8	10	–	18	–	–	–	–
Provincetown, .	4,480	104	58	46	–	32	46	9	17	–
Sandwich, . .	2,124	31	17	14	–	21	5	4	1	–
Truro, . .	972	32	17	15	–	17	7	1	6	1
Wellfleet, . .	1,687	28	14	14	–	19	4	3	2	–
Yarmouth, . .	1,856	20	16	4	–	18	1	–	–	1
BERKSHIRE, .	73,828	1,901	933	968	–	911	602	174	187	27
Adams, . .	8,283	305	146	159	–	70	164	31	36	4
Alford, . .	341	3	1	2	–	2	–	1	–	–
Becket, . .	938	16	8	8	–	9	4	1	2	–
Cheshire, . .	1,448	23	13	10	–	12	3	4	4	–
Clarksburg, .	708	14	4	10	–	9	5	–	–	–
Dalton, . .	2,113	53	28	25	–	32	13	3	5	–
Egremont, . .	826	11	3	8	–	7	1	1	1	1
Florida, . .	487	4	2	2	–	2	2	–	–	–
Gt. Barrington, .	4,471	84	44	40	–	46	18	10	8	2
Hancock, . .	613	16	7	9	–	14	1	–	1	–
Hinsdale, . .	1,656	40	25	15	–	18	16	2	3	1
Lanesborough, .	1,212	33	18	15	–	17	10	1	4	1
Lee, . . .	4,274	75	40	35	–	43	15	6	8	3
Lenox, . .	2,154	63	30	33	–	42	10	6	5	–
Monterey, . .	571	8	6	2	–	8	–	–	–	–
Mt. Washington,	160	4	1	3	–	4	–	–	–	–
New Ashford, .	163	2	1	1	–	1	–	–	1	–
New Marlboro, .	1,661	24	13	11	–	11	8	2	3	–
North Adams, .	12,540	490	233	257	–	228	160	53	45	4
Otis, . . .	703	11	8	3	–	11	–	–	–	–
Peru, . . .	368	8	3	5	–	6	1	1	–	–
Pittsfield, . .	14,466	397	200	197	–	184	121	40	48	4
Richmond, . .	854	14	8	6	–	6	2	1	5	–
Sandisfield, .	1,019	12	3	9	–	11	1	–	–	–
Savoy, . .	691	2	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
Sheffield, . .	2,033	24	11	13	–	22	2	–	–	–
Stockbridge, .	2,114	27	7	20	–	19	6	1	–	1
Tyringham, .	457	10	6	4	–	10	–	–	–	–
Washington, .	470	12	7	5	–	6	3	–	3	–
W. Stockbridge,	1,648	43	25	18	–	25	11	3	3	1
Williamstown, .	3,729	67	28	39	–	31	25	7	2	2
Windsor, . .	657	6	4	2	–	3	–	–	–	3

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MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Age.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
277	238	18	15	6	–	560	258	302	559	29,040	51·95
35	34	–	1	–	–	64	28	36	64	3,388	52·93
12	12	–	–	–	–	20	10	10	20	1,136	56·80
12	11	1	–	–	–	22	10	12	22	1,180	53·64
25	25	–	–	–	–	47	20	27	47	2,496	53·11
30	29	–	1	–	–	63	26	37	62	3,180	51·29
7	6	1	–	–	–	11	3	8	11	607	55 18
22	13	2	4	3	–	41	18	23	41	2,170	52·93
32	32	–	–	–	–	49	19	30	49	2,557	52·18
5	5	–	–	–	–	5	3	2	5	292	58·40
9	9	–	–	–	–	29	17	12	29	1,839	63 41
42	22	14	3	3	–	81	43	38	81	3,047	37·62
15	10	–	5	–	–	26	9	17	26	1,322	50·85
5	5	–	–	–	–	24	10	14	24	1,176	49.00
17	16	–	1	–	–	41	19	22	41	2,150	52·44
9	9	–	–	–	–	37	23	14	37	2,500	67·57
539	370	83	34	50	2	1,328	626	702	1,322	46,577	35·23
82	36	25	7	14	–	157	69	88	157	3,775	24·04
2	2	–	–	–	–	12	7	5	12	902	75·17
7	7	–	–	–	–	19	12	7	19	927	48·79
10	9	–	–	1	–	31	10	21	30	1,384	46·13
2	2	–	–	–	–	12	4	8	12	294	24·50
13	9	1	3	–	–	33	11	22	33	1,090	33 03
4	4	–	–	–	–	7	2	5	7	172	24·56
4	3	–	1	–	–	6	5	1	6	206	34·33
29	19	3	5	2	–	77	41	36	77	3,146	40·86
3	3	–	–	–	–	9	5	4	9	346	38·44
14	11	1	–	2	–	24	13	11	24	1,148	47·83
6	6	–	–	–	–	31	12	19	31	1,149	37·06
21	16	2	1	–	2	67	38	29	67	2,393	35 72
11	7	2	–	2	–	37	19	18	37	1,265	34 19
5	4	1	–	–	–	18	8	10	18	680	37·78
1	1	–	–	–	–	3	–	3	3	164	54·67
*	–	–	–	–	–	5	3	2	5	104	20 80
4	3	–	–	1	–	28	15	13	28	1,625	58·04
103	56	22	11	14	–	256	116	140	255	6,952	27·26
10	10	–	–	–	–	6	3	3	6	307	51 17
3	2	–	–	1	–	8	2	6	8	528	66·00
105	76	18	1	10	–	269	135	134	268	8,800	32·82
4	3	–	1	–	–	8	4	4	8	438	54·75
7	7	–	–	–	–	11	5	6	11	563	51·18
1	1	–	–	–	–	13	7	6	13	758	58·31
11	9	1	–	1	–	34	13	21	33	1,595	48 33
11	9	1	1	–	–	42	19	23	41	1,757	42·85
11	10	–	–	1	–	5	3	2	5	312	62 40
4	4	–	–	–	–	7	3	4	7	255	36·43
21	18	3	–	–	–	30	12	18	30	1,156	38·53
27	20	3	3	1	–	59	28	31	59	2,196	37·22
3	3	–	–	–	–	4	2	2	3	190	63·33

* None.

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

Counties and Towns.	Population. State Census, 1885.	Births.								
		Whole No.	Sex.			Parentage.				
			M.	F.	U.	Am.	For.	Am Fa. and For. M.	For. Fa. and Am. M	U.
BRISTOL,	158,498	4,190	2172	2018	–	1395	2013	365	351	66
Acushnet,	1,071	8	7	1	–	7	–	–	–	1
Attleborough,	13,175	361	192	169	–	169	120	38	34	–
Berkley,	941	15	7	8	–	13	1	–	–	1
Dartmouth,	3,448	61	34	27	–	47	8	2	3	1
Dighton,	1,782	24	11	13	–	14	4	2	1	3
Easton,	3,948	83	43	40	–	41	33	2	5	2
Fairhaven,	2,880	40	21	19	–	34	1	2	3	–
Fall River,	56,870	1,767	888	879	–	287	1127	171	153	29
Freetown,	1,457	23	13	10	–	19	–	4	–	–
Mansfield,	2,939	68	29	39	–	52	9	5	2	–
New Bedford,	33,393	874	465	409	–	311	419	62	67	15
Norton,	1,718	21	13	8	–	14	2	3	2	–
Raynham,	1,535	21	8	13	–	13	6	1	–	1
Rehoboth,	1,788	23	11	12	–	19	2	2	–	–
Seekonk,	1,295	23	12	11	–	18	3	1	–	1
Somerset,	2,475	70	40	30	–	42	14	3	11	–
Swanzey,	1,403	17	9	8	–	12	3	1	1	–
Taunton,	23,674	641	346	295	–	245	253	64	67	12
Westport,	2,706	50	23	27	–	38	8	2	2	–
DUKES,	4,135	66	38	28	–	44	8	7	2	5
Chilmark,	412	5	3	2	–	5	–	–	–	–
Cottage City,	709	17	10	7	–	10	4	2	1	–
Edgartown,	1,165	19	14	5	–	10	2	3	–	4
Gay Head,	186	6	3	3	–	5	–	–	–	1
Gosnold,	122	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Tisbury,	1,541	18	7	11	–	13	2	2	1	–
ESSEX,	263,727	6,070	3118	2952	–	2704	2194	554	546	72
Amesbury,	4,403	119	58	61	–	35	57	14	12	1
Andover,	5,711	121	61	60	–	52	44	14	11	–
Beverly	9,186	171	80	91	–	110	31	17	12	1
Boxford,	840	16	8	8	–	11	2	3	–	–
Bradford,	3,106	62	27	35	–	34	15	1	10	2
Danvers,	7,061	133	63	70	–	81	24	7	19	2
Essex,	1,722	25	12	13	–	21	1	3	–	–
Georgetown,	2,299	37	22	15	–	28	4	1	3	1
Gloucester,	21,703	596	317	279	–	209	252	58	71	6
Groveland,	2,272	26	13	13	–	13	10	2	–	1
Hamilton,	851	14	8	6	–	10	–	2	1	1
Haverhill,	21,795	572	292	280	–	276	180	51	54	11
Ipswich,	4,207	74	46	28	–	44	10	7	7	6
Lawrence,	38,862	987	537	450	–	214	647	54	70	2
Lynn,	45,867	1,091	565	526	–	556	298	118	116	3

Registered during the year 1885 — Continued.

MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Age.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
1,445	690	500	124	131	–	3,269	1,630	1,639	3,263	108472	33·24
5	4	–	–	1	–	32	13	19	32	1,526	47·69
112	67	22	15	8	–	191	92	99	191	6,748	35·33
8	8	–	–	–	–	19	9	10	19	948	49·95
24	23	–	–	1	–	67	32	35	67	3,292	49 63
11	10	–	1	–	–	33	21	12	33	1,704	51·64
27	21	2	4	–	–	54	21	33	54	2,733	50.61
22	18	1	2	1	–	62	33	29	61	2,837	46·51
530	153	270	53	54	–	1,280	636	644	1,280	31,932	24·94
20	17	–	2	1	–	40	16	24	40	1,369	24·22
21	16	2	2	1	–	39	17	22	39	1,864	47·80
391	176	152	23	40	–	738	372	366	736	23,846	31·30
10	7	1	1	1	–	41	21	20	41	2,173	53·00
9	8	–	–	1	–	30	16	14	30	1,748	58·27
14	14	–	–	–	–	35	16	19	34	2,117	62·29
6	6	–	–	–	–	29	18	11	29	1,201	41·41
27	18	4	1	4	–	39	22	17	39	1,655	42·44
13	12	–	–	1	–	22	16	6	22	1,169	53·14
182	103	45	19	15	–	470	234	236	468	17,579	37·56
13	9	1	1	2	–	48	25	23	48	2,031	40·23
49	39	2	3	5	–	105	57	48	105	5,339	50·85
3	3	–	–	–	–	9	3	6	9	513	57·00
6	6	–	–	–	–	25	14	11	25	998	39·92
18	11	2	1	4	–	28	13	15	28	1,878	67 07
4	4	–	–	–	–	4	3	1	4	186	46·50
*	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	7	7·00
18	15	–	2	1	–	38	23	15	38	1,757	46·24
2,430	1,358	552	301	218	–	4,764	2,392	2,372	4,708	169973	36·10
53	14	23	9	7	–	92	53	39	92	3,028	32·91
43	23	7	5	8	–	79	39	40	79	3,581	45·33
88	53	13	15	7	–	137	65	72	137	5,500	40·15
3	2	–	–	1	–	13	8	5	13	850	65·38
18	16	1	–	1	–	30	13	17	30	1,050	35·00
51	32	6	9	4	–	170	80	90	168	7,306	43·49
16	12	1	1	2	–	36	16	20	36	1,921	53·39
15	13	1	1	–	–	41	24	17	41	2,077	50·66
244	108	72	37	27	–	423†	266	157	375	10,712	28·57
17	15	–	2	–	–	35	14	21	34	1,612	47·41
5	4	–	–	1	–	13	8	5	13	695	53·46
242	160	38	26	18	–	387	189	198	387	12,256	31 67
30	18	7	4	1	–	75	36	39	74	3,470	46·89
361	115	176	40	30	–	774	358	416	772	20,373	26·39
532	311	89	74	57	1	777	396	381	776	25,864	33·33

* None.

† Including 58 lost at sea.

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

Counties and Towns.	Population. State Census, 1885.	Births. Whole No.	Sex. M.	Sex. F.	Sex. U.	Parentage. Am.	Parentage. For.	Parentage. Am. Fa. and For. M.	Parentage. For. Fa. and Am. M.	Parentage. U.
Essex — Con.										
Lynnfield,	766	11	8	3	–	6	1	2	1	1
Manchester,	1,639	25	17	8	–	16	4	3	2	–
Marblehead,	7,517	162	78	84	–	124	12	19	7	–
Merrimac,	2,378	53	26	27	–	33	12	4	3	1
Methuen,	4,507	92	54	38	–	33	39	14	5	1
Middleton,	899	19	5	14	–	15	1	–	3	–
Nahant,	637	11	7	4	–	5	2	–	4	–
Newbury,	1,590	14	6	8	–	14	–	–	–	–
Newburyport,	13,716	244	132	112	–	135	58	22	23	6
North Andover,	3,425	76	41	35	–	26	37	9	3	1
Peabody,	9,530	252	104	148	–	92	112	22	24	2
Rockport,	3,888	97	58	39	–	46	34	10	6	1
Rowley,	1,183	23	10	13	–	15	3	4	–	1
Salem,	28,090	652	323	329	–	254	260	73	49	16
Salisbury,	4,840	122	56	66	–	79	19	6	18	–
Saugus,	2,855	71	35	36	–	41	17	5	6	2
Swampscott,	2,471	39	19	20	–	28	3	3	4	1
Topsfield,	1,141	24	11	13	–	19	2	3	–	–
Wenham,	871	10	4	6	–	6	1	2	–	1
West Newbury,	1,899	29	15	14	–	23	2	1	2	1
FRANKLIN,	37,449	747	382	362	3	429	211	36	48	23
Ashfield,	1,097	20	12	8	–	17	3	–	–	–
Bernardston,	930	14	10	4	–	11	2	–	1	–
Buckland,	1,760	32	11	21	–	12	12	2	5	1
Charlemont,	958	20	9	11	–	18	1	1	–	–
Colrain,	1,605	36	25	11	–	25	6	2	3	–
Conway,	1,573	33	17	16	–	21	2	5	4	1
Deerfield,	3,042	64	30	34	–	31	20	7	6	–
Erving,	873	21	11	10	–	12	5	1	2	1
Gill,	860	8	2	6	–	5	–	1	–	2
Greenfield,	4,869	106	52	54	–	63	27	5	9	2
Hawley,	545	12	3	9	–	9	–	1	1	1
Heath,	568	12	5	7	–	11	–	–	1	–
Leverett,	779	15	10	5	–	14	1	–	–	–
Leyden,	447	5	1	4	–	3	–	1	1	–
Monroe,	176	3	1	2	–	2	–	–	–	1
Montague,	5,629	163	91	72	–	30	112	3	6	12
New Salem,	832	11	5	6	–	9	1	1	–	–
Northfield,	1,705	17	11	6	–	11	2	3	1	–
Orange,	3,650	79	41	35	3	62	11	1	5	–
Rowe,	582	6	1	5	–	5	1	–	–	–
Shelburne,	1,614	23	13	10	–	19	1	1	1	1
Shutesbury,	485	11	6	5	–	11	–	–	–	–
Sunderland,	700	6	3	3	–	6	–	–	–	–
Warwick,	662	5	–	5	–	5	–	–	–	–
Wendell,	509	15	6	9	–	11	1	1	2	–
Whately,	999	10	6	4	–	6	3	–	–	1

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MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Age.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
7	6	1	–	–	–	10	6	4	10	540	54·00
14	7	2	3	2	–	36	20	16	36	1,624	45 11
59	46	1	10	2	–	136	63	73	136	5,744	42·24
12	9	1	1	1	–	26	15	11	26	730	28·08
31	18	3	6	4	–	71	37	34	71	2,376	33·46
6	6	–	–	–	–	13	7	6	13	636	48·92
*	–	–	–	–	–	15	6	9	15	681	45·40
8	7	–	–	1	–	20	10	10	20	1,276	63·80
109	79	13	9	8	–	246	110	136	246	10,843	44·08
21	11	4	5	1	–	42	23	19	42	1,888	44·95
55	33	13	5	4	–	157	92	65	157	6,065	38 63
26	20	3	–	3	–	83	41	42	83	3,609	43·48
9	7	–	2	–	–	21	11	10	21	937	44·62
255	137	67	32	19	–	578	273	305	578	23,272	40·26
41	29	6	1	5	–	79	37	42	78	3,211	41·17
11	9	2	–	–	–	41	18	23	41	1,426	34·78
14	11	1	1	1	–	32	15	17	32	1,167	36·47
7	5	1	1	–	–	17	11	6	17	692	40·71
9	7	–	1	1	–	19	12	7	19	897	47·21
18	15	–	1	2	–	40	20	20	40	2,064	51·60
282	222	26	16	17	1	593	286	307	591	26,905	45 52
2	2	–	–	–	–	15	10	5	15	836	55 73
3	2	1	–	–	–	17	5	12	17	960	51·47
13	8	1	1	3	–	25	10	15	25	1,062	42·48
6	6	–	–	–	–	16	8	8	16	670	41·87
8	4	4	–	–	–	19	10	9	19	1,314	69·16
9	8	1	–	–	–	28	13	15	28	1,217	43·46
18	14	2	2	–	–	56	25	31	55	2,829	51·44
5	4	1	–	–	–	10	6	4	10	484	48·40
1	1	–	–	–	–	15	7	8	15	713	47·53
60	41	6	4	8	1	70	33	37	69	2,646	38·35
6	6	–	–	–	–	8	4	4	8	389	48 62
7	7	–	–	–	–	10	1	9	10	511	51·10
4	4	–	–	–	–	14	6	8	14	741	52·93
3	3	–	–	–	–	13	3	10	13	738	56·77
*	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	1·00
38	23	7	4	4	–	89	55	34	89	2,889	32·46
3	2	1	–	–	–	20	9	11	20	912	45 60
9	8	–	1	–	–	26	7	19	26	1,527	58·73
29	25	2	2	–	–	57	28	29	57	2,337	41·00
7	7	–	–	–	–	7	3	4	7	346	49 43
18	17	–	1	–	–	22	15	7	22	983	44·68
7	7	–	–	–	–	11	7	4	11	519	47·18
3	2	–	–	1	–	7	5	2	7	388	55·43
7	6	–	–	1	–	13	8	5	13	703	54·08
10	9	–	1	–	–	9	2	7	9	401	44·56
6	6	–	7	–	–	15	6	9	15	789	52·60

* None.

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Population. State Census, 1885.	BIRTHS.								
		Whole No.	SEX.			PARENTAGE.				
			M.	F.	U.	Am.	For.	Am. Fa. and For. M.	For. Fa. and Am. M.	U.
HAMPDEN,	116,764	3,482	1798	1683	1	1076	1766	299	305	36
Agawam,	2,357	57	26	31	–	27	27	2	1	–
Blandford,	954	17	5	12	–	17	–	–	–	–
Brimfield,	1,137	23	9	14	–	16	5	1	–	1
Chester,	1,318	31	14	17	–	19	8	–	3	1
Chicopee,	11,516	346	163	183	–	73	214	31	26	2
Granville,	1,193	25	11	14	–	17	2	4	2	–
Hampden,	868	12	6	6	–	11	–	1	–	–
Holland,	229	3	3	–	–	2	–	1	–	–
Holyoke,	27,895	1,283	686	597	–	174	949	65	91	4
Longmeadow,	1,677	32	14	18	–	13	13	4	2	–
Ludlow,	1,649	40	25	15	–	10	18	8	2	2
Monson,	3,958	73	34	39	–	44	16	3	9	1
Montgomery,	278	5	3	2	–	5	–	–	–	–
Palmer,	5,923	185	88	97	–	53	85	25	22	–
Russell,	847	21	11	10	–	9	6	2	4	–
Southwick,	982	13	7	6	–	10	1	–	2	–
Springfield,	37,575	968	506	461	–	406	325	115	102	20
Tolland,	422	6	2	4	–	4	–	2	–	–
Wales,	853	21	12	9	–	12	2	5	2	–
Westfield,	8,961	166	91	75	–	87	46	16	14	3
West Springfield,	4,448	121	65	56	–	53	39	10	18	1
Wilbraham,	1,724	34	17	17	–	14	10	4	5	1
HAMPSHIRE,	48,472	954	476	478	–	457	332	80	80	5
Amherst,	4,199	56	24	32	–	47	4	2	2	1
Belchertown,	2,307	31	16	15	–	22	3	3	3	–
Chesterfield,	698	14	6	8	–	13	1	–	–	–
Cummington,	805	14	7	7	–	13	–	–	–	1
Easthampton,	4,291	90	52	38	–	36	34	10	10	–
Enfield,	1,010	20	9	11	–	7	11	1	1	–
Goshen,	336	7	1	6	–	7	–	–	–	–
Granby,	729	8	5	3	–	3	3	2	–	–
Greenwich,	532	2	1	1	–	2	–	–	–	–
Hadley,	1,747	35	19	16	–	18	15	1	1	–
Hatfield,	1,367	32	15	17	–	18	6	3	3	2
Huntington,	1,267	33	20	13	–	16	10	4	2	1
Middlefield,	513	8	2	6	–	6	–	2	–	–
Northampton,	12,896	294	153	141	–	111	116	29	38	–
Pelham,	549	9	1	8	–	8	–	–	1	–
Plainfield,	453	4	2	2	–	4	–	–	–	–
Prescott,	448	4	1	3	–	4	–	–	–	–
South Hadley,	3,949	98	43	55	–	37	44	11	6	–
Southampton,	1,025	15	6	9	–	12	1	2	–	–
Ware,	6,003	123	68	55	–	38	68	6	11	–
Westhampton,	541	9	2	7	–	6	1	1	1	–
Williamsburg,	2,044	35	16	19	–	17	15	3	–	–
Worthington,	763	13	7	6	–	12	–	–	1	–

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MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Age.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
1,080	564	310	111	95	–	2,151	1,055	1,096	2,143	66,086	30 84
16	11	2	2	1	–	39	16	23	39	1,455	37·30
4	4	–	–	–	–	16	10	6	16	885	55·30
8	7	1	–	–	–	14	10	4	14	623	41·64
8	8	–	–	–	–	21	8	13	21	986	46·95
97	28	44	14	11	–	279	134	145	279	8,306	29·77
6	6	–	–	–	–	17	11	6	16	782	48 88
4	4	–	–	–	–	9	6	3	9	405	45·00
1	1	–	–	–	–	5	1	4	5	291	58·20
299	86	156	31	26	–	538	261	277	534	10,404	19·48
13	9	2	2	–	–	19	10	9	19	859	45·26
13	8	4	1	–	–	21	8	13	21	925	44·04
22	19	1	2	–	–	75	37	38	75	3,473	46·32
3	3	–	–	–	–	8	2	6	8	534	66·75
54	26	12	6	10	–	80	45	35	77	2,775	36·04
9	3	3	2	1	–	13	7	6	13	361	27·69
9	8	–	–	1	–	15	8	7	15	1,111	74 06
364	231	63	38	32	–	700	342	358	700	21,526	30·46
1	1	–	–	–	–	7	4	3	7	274	39·14
8	8	–	–	–	–	18	8	10	18	871	48 39
88	60	12	10	6	–	150	79	71	150	6,080	40·53
40	22	8	3	7	–	84	39	45	84	2,145	25·54
13	11	2	–	–	–	23	9	14	23	1,015	44·13
358	236	64	22	35	1	820	394	426	818	34,601	42·30
30	22	4	2	2	–	61	28	33	60	3,244	54·07
16	11	2	3	–	–	44	21	23	44	2,356	53·55
1	1	–	–	–	–	20	11	9	20	887	44·35
6	6	–	–	–	–	17	8	9	17	835	49·12
28	17	3	3	5	–	69	34	35	69	2,535	36·74
8	7	1	–	–	–	18	9	9	18	835	46·39
1	1	–	–	–	–	3	2	1	3	219	73·00
6	6	–	–	–	–	12	6	6	12	656	54 67
1	1	–	–	–	–	4	2	2	4	232	58·00
10	9	1	–	–	–	43	18	25	43	1,905	44·30
4	3	–	–	1	–	22	12	10	22	780	35·45
9	7	2	–	–	–	24	10	14	24	632	26·33
8	7	1	–	–	–	11	7	4	11	657	59 73
103	62	19	7	15	–	195	94	101	194	8,132	41·92
9	8	–	–	1	–	9	2	7	9	490	54·44
1	1	–	–	–	–	7	4	3	7	574	82·00
7	5	–	1	1	–	10	5	5	10	495	49·50
32	21	8	1	2	–	76	33	43	76	2,529	33·28
6	5	5	–	–	1	17	11	6	17	943	55·47
55	23	22	4	6	–	96	44	52	96	3,012	31·38
4	4	–	–	–	–	6	3	3	6	268	44·67
8	6	1	1	–	–	40	21	19	40	1,524	38·10
5	3	–	–	2	–	16	9	7	16	861	53·81

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

Counties and Towns.	Population. State Census, 1885.	Births.								
		Whole No.	Sex.			Parentage.				
			M.	F.	U.	Am	For.	Am. Fa and For M.	For. Fa. and Am. M.	U.
Middlesex, .	357,311	8,843	4555	4286	2	3390	3607	869	875	102
Acton, . .	1,785	31	17	14	–	22	5	4	–	–
Arlington, . .	4,673	125	72	53	–	49	55	11	10	–
Ashby, . .	871	13	10	3	–	11	1	–	–	1
Ashland, . .	2,633	69	33	36	–	25	32	3	7	2
Ayer, . . .	2,190	57	29	28	–	21	25	4	7	–
Bedford, . .	930	13	6	7	–	5	6	1	–	1
Belmont, . .	1,639	30	16	14	–	14	11	4	1	–
Billerica, . .	2,161	36	16	20	–	14	14	4	4	–
Boxborough, .	348	7	3	4	–	7	–	–	–	–
Burlington, .	604	8	4	4	–	5	3	–	–	–
Cambridge, .	59,658	1,613	840	773	–	511	751	162	172	17
Carlisle, . .	526	12	6	6	–	8	2	2	–	–
Chelmsford, .	2,304	43	27	16	–	29	5	4	4	1
Concord, . .	3,727	61	31	30	–	30	24	2	5	–
Dracut, . .	1,927	23	8	15	–	11	7	2	3	–
Dunstable, . .	431	6	4	2	–	4	–	–	2	–
Everett, . .	5,825	153	65	88	–	85	39	13	16	–
Framingham, .	8,275	191	99	92	–	81	56	28	25	1
Groton, . .	1,987	33	22	11	–	22	6	2	3	–
Holliston, . .	2,926	55	35	20	–	32	12	3	7	1
Hopkinton, .	3,922	82	40	42	–	51	13	12	6	–
Hudson, . .	3,968	108	51	57	–	56	38	5	9	–
Lexington, . .	2,718	35	15	20	–	21	9	2	2	1
Lincoln, . .	901	21	14	7	–	1	16	2	2	–
Littleton, . .	1,067	21	13	8	–	8	8	5	–	–
Lowell, . .	64,107	1,749	904	843	2	465	930	158	168	28
Malden, . .	16,407	458	216	242	–	180	182	51	43	2
Marlborough, .	10,941	337	164	173	–	118	128	30	61	–
Maynard, . .	2,703	76	41	35	–	17	40	7	9	3
Medford, . .	9,042	210	103	107	–	93	62	27	23	5
Melrose, . .	6,101	148	75	73	–	86	30	18	8	6
Natick, . .	8,460	207	98	109	–	105	52	18	32	–
Newton, . .	19,759	397	205	192	–	173	165	35	23	1
North Reading, .	878	20	13	7	–	14	4	1	1	–
Pepperell, . .	2,587	59	33	26	–	32	18	5	4	–
Reading, . .	3,539	55	29	26	–	34	8	7	4	2
Sherborn, . .	1,391	29	13	16	–	13	6	–	4	6
Shirley, . .	1,242	19	12	7	–	11	3	3	2	–
Somerville, .	29,971	742	379	363	–	304	289	72	77	–
Stoneham, . .	5,659	106	67	39	–	68	22	3	12	1
Stow, . . .	976	18	7	11	–	7	7	3	1	–
Sudbury, . .	1,165	30	18	12	–	19	5	3	2	1
Tewksbury, .	2,333	32	15	17	–	16	12	3	1	–
(St Almshouse),	–	102	53	49	–	15	51	18	3	15
Townsend, .	1,846	22	13	9	–	14	3	3	2	–
Tyngsborough, .	604	4	2	2	–	4	–	–	–	–
Wakefield, . .	6,060	142	84	58	–	57	50	19	16	–
Waltham, . .	14,609	343	173	170	–	137	124	38	41	3

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MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Age.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
3,057	1,552	845	373	287	–	6,642	3,307	3,335	6,637	222600	33·54
16	13	1	–	2	–	28	14	14	28	1,055	37·68
46	16	20	6	4	–	90	47	43	90	3,274	36·37
9	9	–	–	–	–	20	13	7	20	963	48·15
15	13	3	3	6	–	40	21	19	40	1,748	43·70
15	12	–	2	1	–	31	15	16	31	1,533	49·45
1	1	–	–	–	–	22	6	16	22	961	43·68
14	7	3	2	2	–	31	15	16	31	1,216	39·23
11	5	4	2	–	–	26	16	10	26	1,249	48·04
2	1	–	1	–	–	7	4	3	7	346	49·43
3	–	–	3	–	–	14	9	5	14	743	53·07
493	213	156	72	52	–	1,252	577	675	1,250	34,852	27·88
2	2	–	–	–	–	9	3	6	9	527	58 56
19	14	3	2	–	–	37	21	16	37	1,812	48·97
26	14	8	3	1	–	61	25	36	61	2,539	41·62
10	6	2	2	–	–	19	10	9	19	878	45 68
1	1	–	–	–	–	7	1	6	7	272	38·86
40	28	8	1	3	–	84	41	43	84	2,649	31·42
70	44	12	8	6	–	143	75	68	142	5,198	36·61
15	12	2	1	–	–	30	10	20	30	1,854	61·80
28	25	–	2	1	–	41	23	18	41	1,660	40·49
19	13	–	1	5	–	72	35	37	72	2,506	34·81
34	18	5	5	6	–	65	34	31	65	1,843	28 35
17	8	4	1	4	–	38	23	15	38	1,712	45·05
5	4	1	–	–	–	9	2	7	9	283	31·44
13	9	2	–	2	–	11	9	2	11	627	57·00
670	255	255	97	63	–	1,329	673	656	1,328	27,210	28·02
155	86	42	18	9	–	246	125	121	246	9,114	37·05
88	61	14	6	7	–	183	101	82	183	5,900	32·24
23	11	3	4	5	–	45	22	23	45	939	20·87
63	35	13	7	8	–	128	61	67	128	4,182	32·67
56	29	11	11	5	–	116	53	63	116	4,478	38·60
49	32	4	6	7	–	151	70	81	151	5,479	36·28
160	74	60	14	12	–	258	122	136	258	10,332	40·05
6	5	–	1	–	–	23	10	13	23	1,118	48·57
37	31	3	1	2	–	53	27	26	53	2,334	44·04
38	27	5	6	–	–	55	26	29	55	2,396	43·56
3	3	–	–	–	–	30	15	15	30	1,566	52·20
18	15	–	1	2	–	20	12	8	20	870	43·50
259	118	75	36	30	–	549	297	252	549	17,286	31·49
31	26	3	1	1	–	86	45	41	86	2,787	32·41
10	6	2	1	1	–	16	8	8	16	813	50·81
8	5	1	1	1	–	19	7	12	19	1,116	58·74
7	4	2	1	–	–	24	14	10	24	1,159	48·29
*	–	–	–	–	–	206	120	86	205	7,799	38·04
15	14	–	–	1	–	36	19	17	36	1,878	52·17
4	3	–	–	1	–	9	7	2	9	653	72·56
60	31	18	6	5	–	114	53	61	114	4,208	36·91
141	77	36	12	16	–	222	96	126	222	7,439	33·51

* None.

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

Counties and Towns.	Population. State Census, 1885.	Births.								
		Whole No.	Sex.			Parentage.				
			M.	F.	U.	Am.	For.	Am. Fa. and For. M.	For. Fa. and Am. M.	U.
Middlesex—Con.										
Watertown,	6,238	134	71	63	–	54	58	11	9	2
Wayland,	1,946	40	17	23	–	20	10	5	5	–
Westford,	2,193	54	29	25	–	30	11	10	3	–
Weston,	1,427	23	12	11	–	16	2	4	–	1
Wilmington,	991	28	13	15	–	17	4	2	5	–
Winchester,	4,390	94	47	47	–	35	41	8	9	1
Woburn,	11,750	319	173	146	–	113	152	32	22	–
NANTUCKET,	3,142	36	15	21	–	29	2	1	3	1
NORFOLK,	102,142	2,329	1160	1167	2	1125	752	200	229	23
Bellingham,	1,198	29	14	15	–	16	7	4	2	–
Braintree,	4,040	91	51	40	–	60	18	7	4	2
Brookline,	9,196	207	89	118	–	77	93	17	20	–
Canton,	4,380	78	35	43	–	38	27	6	7	–
Cohasset,	2,216	43	22	21	–	23	12	3	5	–
Dedham,	6,641	138	66	70	2	56	56	10	15	1
Dover,	664	10	6	4	–	7	3	–	–	–
Foxborough,	2,814	35	20	15	–	24	4	6	–	1
Franklin,	3,983	77	37	40	–	35	24	5	9	4
Holbrook,	2,334	47	23	24	–	33	7	4	3	–
Hyde Park,	8,376	212	111	101	–	93	72	22	24	1
Medfield,	1,594	19	8	11	–	13	3	–	2	1
Medway,	2,777	48	20	28	–	33	10	5	–	–
Millis,*	683	6	1	5	–	4	–	1	–	1
Milton,	3,555	78	35	43	–	30	29	4	13	2
Needham,	2,586	69	38	31	–	32	16	12	9	–
Norfolk,	825	22	11	11	–	9	8	3	2	–
Norwood,	2,921	91	49	42	–	43	30	6	12	–
Quincy,	12,145	398	216	182	–	127	182	38	44	7
Randolph,	3,807	83	37	46	–	52	13	5	12	1
Sharon,	1,328	21	12	9	–	12	2	4	3	–
Stoughton,	5,173	120	48	72	–	77	27	4	12	–
Walpole,	2,443	56	32	24	–	31	17	5	3	–
Wellesley,	3,013	60	31	29	–	24	23	6	6	1
Weymouth,	10,740	248	127	121	–	148	60	20	19	1
Wrentham,	2,710	43	21	22	–	28	9	3	3	–
PLYMOUTH,	81,680	1,528	780	744	4	1022	288	99	93	26
Abington,	3,699	79	40	39	–	66	6	3	4	–
Bridgewater,	3,827	58	28	30	–	36	15	2	5	–
Brockton,	20,783	464	236	228	–	272	123	37	27	5
Carver,	1,091	21	10	11	–	20	1	–	–	–
Duxbury,	1,924	28	10	18	–	26	–	1	1	–
E. Bridgewater,	2,812	50	29	21	–	29	17	4	–	–
Halifax,	530	7	5	2	–	3	2	1	1	–
Hanover,	1,966	23	13	10	–	20	–	–	3	–

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MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Age.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
33	15	11	5	2	–	135	76	59	135	4,512	33·42
12	9	1	2	–	–	26	12	14	26	833	32·04
19	15	1	3	–	–	30	13	17	30	1,507	50·23
6	5	–	–	1	–	15	9	6	15	744	49 60
11	6	3	1	1	–	19	8	11	19	607	31·95
46	19	16	8	3	–	67	34	33	67	2,560	38 21
95	47	32	7	9	–	245	123	122	245	8,581	35·02
18	17	–	–	1	–	106	43	63	105	5,531	52·68
709	414	150	65	80	–	1,703	851	852	1,703	68,286	40·10
15	11	3	1	–	–	14	9	5	14	612	43·29
32	20	4	4	4	–	79	44	35	79	3,035	38·29
83	27	39	8	9	–	137	66	71	137	4,881	35·63
29	15	6	5	3	–	70	34	36	70	3,221	46·01
16	9	1	3	3	–	32	14	18	32	1,343	41·97
44	29	7	3	5	–	102	44	58	102	4,017	39·38
4	2	–	1	1	–	16	10	6	16	825	51·56
16	12	1	3	–	–	36	10	26	36	1,932	53·67
23	17	2	2	2	–	57	19	38	57	2,476	43·44
12	11	1	–	–	–	26	13	13	26	1,103	42·42
61	30	13	6	12	–	122	63	59	122	4,221	34·59
8	7	1	–	–	–	27	13	14	27	1,414	52·37
13	6	2	2	3	–	61	35	26	61	2,948	48·33
4	2	–	–	2	–	8	4	4	8	516	64·50
19	9	4	3	3	–	51	25	26	51	2,292	44·94
13	4	4	1	4	–	45	27	18	45	1,506	33·47
6	4	1	–	1	–	9	6	3	9	648	72·00
29	17	6	3	3	–	29	12	17	29	787	27·14
100	42	31	12	15	–	218	120	98	218	7,942	36·43
20	19	–	1	–	–	72	33	39	72	3,526	48·97
6	4	1	1	–	–	40	20	20	40	1,721	43·02
29	22	3	1	3	–	96	50	46	96	3,635	37·86
11	5	5	–	1	–	48	23	25	48	2,346	48·87
19	14	4	1	–	–	41	14	27	41	1,654	40·34
83	64	11	3	5	–	222	119	103	222	7,571	34·10
14	12	–	1	1	–	45	24	21	45	2,114	46·98
652	489	68	53	42	–	1,433	728	705	1,430	60,222	42·11
33	30	3	–	–	–	67	40	27	67	2,382	35·70
29	16	3	1	–	–	96	63	33	96	3,732	38·88
210	141	34	19	16	–	330	172	158	329	10,124	30 77
8	7	–	1	–	–	15	9	6	15	627	41·80
14	12	–	1	1	–	28	12	16	28	1,494	60·50
29	19	6	2	2	–	47	18	29	47	2,516	53·53
5	5	–	–	–	–	7	2	5	7	428	61·14
10	7	–	1	2	–	43	23	20	43	1,992	46·39

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

Counties and Towns.	Population. State Census, 1885.	Births. Whole No.	Sex. M.	Sex. F.	Sex. U.	Parentage. Am.	Parentage. For.	Parentage. Am. Fa. and For. M.	Parentage. For Fa and Am M	Parentage. U.
Plymouth—Con.										
Hanson,	1,227	16	6	10	–	12	4	–	–	–
Hingham,	4,375	72	30	42	–	45	12	7	8	–
Hull,	451	6	4	2	–	4	–	2	–	–
Kingston,	1,570	20	11	9	–	16	3	–	–	1
Lakeville,	980	12	6	6	–	11	–	1	–	–
Marion,	965	19	11	8	–	16	1	1	1	–
Marshfield,	1,649	24	13	11	–	18	2	3	–	1
Mattapoisett,	1,215	19	6	13	–	19	–	–	–	–
Middleborough,	5,163	67	27	40	–	55	8	1	1	2
Pembroke,	1,313	18	9	9	–	18	–	–	–	–
Plymouth,	7,239	160	76	84	–	97	32	16	12	3
Plympton,	600	3	–	3	–	3	–	–	–	–
Rochester,	1,021	14	8	6	–	12	–	2	–	–
Rockland,	4,785	87	50	37	–	56	19	3	8	1
Scituate,	2,350	34	19	15	–	24	7	1	2	–
South Abington,	3,595	78	45	33	–	49	19	6	4	–
South Scituate,	1,589	26	16	10	–	22	–	2	1	1
Wareham,	3,254	96	57	39	–	67	16	2	11	–
W. Bridgewater,	1,707	27	15	8	4	6	1	4	4	12
SUFFOLK,	421,109	12,092	6264	5826	2	3456	5386	1086	1254	910
Boston,	390,393	11,373	5893	5480	–	3126	5164	1006	1184	893
Chelsea,	25,709	612	316	296	–	280	187	71	63	11
Revere,	3,637	80	42	36	2	40	27	4	6	3
Winthrop,	1,370	27	13	14	–	10	8	5	1	3
WORCESTER,	244,039	6,034	3088	2939	7	2406	2500	495	571	62
Ashburnham,	2,058	55	23	32	–	33	11	4	6	1
Athol,	4,758	68	35	33	–	53	7	4	3	1
Auburn,	1,268	18	12	6	–	6	10	–	2	–
Barre,	2,093	34	11	23	–	25	5	1	3	–
Berlin,	899	10	7	3	–	9	–	1	–	–
Blackstone,	5,436	100	49	47	4	46	35	5	13	1
Bolton,	876	10	6	4	–	6	1	1	1	1
Boylston,	834	8	5	3	–	6	1	1	–	–
Brookfield,	3,013	72	37	35	–	21	38	6	7	–
Charlton,	1,823	32	13	19	–	26	1	1	3	1
Clinton,	8,945	255	131	124	–	71	139	22	21	2
Dana,	695	8	5	3	–	8	–	–	–	–
Douglas,	2,205	46	26	20	–	16	24	–	5	1
Dudley,	2,742	81	39	42	–	19	45	8	9	–
Fitchburg,	15,375	416	205	211	–	189	160	32	31	4
Gardner,	7,283	222	101	121	–	97	89	21	15	–
Grafton,	4,498	115	53	62	–	39	51	11	8	6
Hardwick,	3,145	75	31	44	–	18	39	9	8	1
Harvard,	1,184	13	8	5	–	12	7	1	–	–

Registered during the year 1885 — Continued.

MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Age.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
15	13	–	1	1	–	25	11	14	25	1,044	41·76
27	21	4	2	–	–	78	33	45	78	3,516	45·07
3	3	–	–	–	–	12	7	5	12	506	42·17
13	10	–	1	2	–	33	17	16	33	1,747	52 94
11	10	–	–	1	–	21	11	10	21	1,065	50·71
8	8	–	–	–	–	19	8	11	19	935	49 21
13	11	1	1	–	–	27	17	10	26	1,674	64·38
5	5	–	–	–	–	27	11	16	26	1,595	61·34
26	19	3	2	2	–	94	42	52	94	4,650	49·47
11	10	-	1	–	–	21	8	13	21	1,172	55·81
58	38	6	8	6	–	125	58	67	125	6,061	48·49
4	4	–	–	–	–	9	3	6	9	557	61·89
9	8	-	–	1	–	14	10	4	14	658	47·07
28	23	1	3	1	–	78	38	40	78	2,804	35·95
15	13	–	2	–	–	48	22	26	48	2,426	50·54
28	20	3	3	2	–	50	24	26	50	1,971	39·42
12	10	–	1	1	–	38	25	13	38	1,532	40·31
23	17	2	2	2	–	58	31	27	58	2,057	35·46
14	9	2	1	2	–	23	13	10	23	957	41·06
4,289	1,800	1,457	595	436	1	10,204	5,104	5,100	10,191	300,300	29·47
4,021	1,654	1,391	563	412	1	9,608	4,810	4,798	9,597	282091	29·38
240	128	63	28	21	–	516	253	263	515	16,277	31·61
15	10	2	1	2	–	48	23	25	47	1,375	29·26
13	8	1	3	1	–	32	18	14	32	557	17·41
1,867	1,084	451	170	162	–	4,416	2,158	2,258	4,389	155479	35·42
18	16	1	–	1	–	30	19	11	30	1,359	45·30
37	35	–	2	–	–	53	27	26	53	2,365	44·62
10	5	3	2	–	–	20	5	15	20	670	33·50
16	13	–	–	3	–	40	19	21	40	2,338	58·45
8	7	1	–	–	–	14	5	9	14	780	55·71
39	20	9	5	5	–	71	39	32	67	2,132	31·82
4	4	–	–	–	–	17	8	9	17	914	53·76
4	–	1	2	1	–	11	4	7	11	617	56 09
17	15	2	–	–	–	43	26	17	43	2,111	49·09
12	11	–	1	–	–	36	18	18	35	2,146	61·31
86	36	39	7	4	–	166	87	79	160	4,103	25·64
3	3	–	–	–	–	14	7	7	14	585	41·79
18	13	3	1	1	–	45	18	27	45	1,103	24.51
8	2	2	3	1	–	46	26	20	46	1,438	31·26
127	75	33	12	7	–	281	131	150	280	9,154	32·69
55	39	10	2	4	–	124	54	70	124	3,874	31·24
51	28	7	12	4	–	82	37	45	81	3,213	39·67
29	11	8	5	5	–	36	17	19	35	1,315	37·57
4	4	–	–	–	–	22	12	10	22	1,225	55 68

TABLE I. — *Births, Marriages, and Deaths,*

Counties and Towns.	Population. State Census, 1885.	Births. Whole No.	Sex. M.	Sex. F.	Sex. U.	Parentage. Am.	Parentage. For.	Parentage. Am. Fa. and For. M.	Parentage. For. Fa. and Am. M.	Parentage. U.
Worcester—Con.										
Holden,	2,471	56	28	28	–	23	25	2	6	–
Hubbardston,	1,303	15	7	8	–	13	1	–	1	–
Lancaster,	2,050	23	9	14	–	11	7	2	3	–
Leicester,	2,923	60	34	26	–	32	20	5	3	–
Leominster,	5,297	100	43	57	–	52	24	12	9	3
Lunenburg,	1,071	17	12	5	–	13	2	2	–	–
Mendon,	945	17	8	9	–	14	1	2	–	–
Milford,	9,343	177	90	87	–	94	51	7	18	7
Millbury,	4,555	120	64	56	–	41	52	12	9	6
New Braintree,	558	7	1	6	–	6	–	–	1	–
Northborough,	1,853	40	20	20	–	24	12	2	2	–
Northbridge,	3,786	92	46	46	–	20	51	9	12	–
North Brookfield,	4,201	130	58	72	–	57	42	9	22	–
Oakham,	749	18	10	8	–	13	1	2	2	–
Oxford,	2,355	43	30	13	–	21	12	6	4	–
Paxton,	561	6	2	4	–	4	2	–	–	–
Petersham,	1,032	21	10	11	–	21	–	–	–	–
Phillipston,	530	6	2	4	–	6	–	–	–	–
Princeton,	1,038	10	5	5	–	7	1	–	2	–
Royalston,	1,153	23	13	10	–	20	1	–	2	–
Rutland,	963	26	14	12	–	23	3	–	–	–
Shrewsbury,	1,450	23	17	6	–	14	7	2	–	–
Southborough,	2,100	57	27	30	–	29	15	9	4	–
Southbridge,	6,500	180	85	95	–	47	89	23	21	–
Spencer,	8,247	318	157	161	–	92	146	31	48	1
Sterling,	1,331	18	8	10	–	11	7	–	–	–
Sturbridge,	1,980	63	29	34	–	19	29	4	9	2
Sutton,	3,101	68	34	34	–	19	38	5	6	–
Templeton,	2,627	53	20	30	3	34	13	–	3	3
Upton,	2,265	30	18	12	–	19	6	2	3	–
Uxbridge,	2,948	67	39	28	–	39	21	3	3	1
Warren,	4,032	108	58	50	–	33	53	5	15	2
Webster,	6,220	140	71	69	–	32	87	10	11	–
Westborough,	4,880	89	44	45	–	44	28	7	9	1
West Boylston,	2,927	77	36	41	–	24	32	11	10	–
West Brookfield,	1,747	25	11	14	–	19	2	2	2	–
Westminster,	1,556	25	15	10	–	15	3	3	4	–
Winchendon,	3,872	91	52	39	–	36	37	7	11	–
Worcester,	68,389	1,957	1064	893	–	655	933	171	181	17

Registered during the year 1885 — Concluded.

MARRIAGES.						DEATHS.					
Couples.	Nativity.					Persons.	Sex.		No. whose Ages are registered.	Ages.	
	Am.	For.	Am. M.	For. M.	Unk.		M.	F.		Agg'te.	Av'ge.
11	3	3	3	2	-	33	18	15	33	1,499	45·42
10	9	-	-	-	-	20	8	12	20	971	48·55
12	8	3	-	1	-	43	25	18	42	1,768	42·10
15	13	1	1	-	-	66	33	33	66	2,641	40·02
52	40	5	2	5	-	111	57	54	110	5,010	45·55
1	1	-	-	-	-	21	12	9	21	1,003	47·76
6	6	-	-	-	-	24	8	16	24	1,291	53·79
73	46	11	7	9	-	204	103	101	204	6,952	34·08
23	12	9	1	1	-	100	43	57	100	3,768	37·68
6	4	2	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	91	45·50
22	13	3	1	5	-	21	8	13	21	1,057	50·33
41	22	11	3	5	-	68	32	36	68	2,412	35·47
38	22	10	1	5	-	68	31	37	68	1,865	27·43
8	6	1	1	-	-	22	13	9	22	1,340	60 91
10	7	-	-	3	-	55	18	37	55	2,266	41·20
1	1	-	-	-	-	14	8	6	14	661	47·21
14	13	-	-	1	-	24	8	16	24	1,420	59·17
4	4	-	-	-	-	7	5	2	7	287	41·00
6	4	-	-	2	-	13	3	10	13	800	61·54
11	10	-	1	-	-	17	8	9	17	1,067	62·76
9	8	-	1	-	-	22	10	12	22	1,054	47 91
10	7	2	-	1	-	20	7	13	20	964	48·20
22	16	2	3	1	-	29	16	13	29	1,109	38·24
51	27	9	7	8	-	120	54	66	120	3,677	30·64
54	28	9	10	7	-	146	60	86	146	3,633	24 88
9	9	-	-	-	-	20	12	8	20	1,064	53·20
9	8	-	1	-	-	42	16	26	42	1,639	39·02
26	14	7	1	4	-	52	23	29	52	1,888	36·31
12	9	-	2	1	-	48	23	25	48	1,651	34·40
15	10	1	-	4	-	40	18	22	40	2,010	50·25
19	13	4	2	-	-	53	32	21	53	2,085	39·34
23	11	7	2	3	-	49	28	21	49	2,090	42·65
72	24	32	11	5	-	120	61	59	120	3.684	30·70
27	17	2	5	3	-	65	23	42	65	2,529	38 91
25	7	14	2	2	-	45	18	27	45	1,531	34·02
9	9	-	-	-	-	25	12	13	25	1,079	43·16
9	8	1	-	-	-	43	27	16	43	2,520	58·60
27	16	6	2	3	-	66	32	34	66	2,535	38·41
529	262	177	46	44	-	1,327	685	642	1,316	39,126	29·73

TABLE II. — BIRTHS — 1885.

Distinguishing by Counties, by Months, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Children BORN ALIVE *during the year.*

Year and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
The Year.	Totals,	48,790	518	1,901	4,190	102	6,070	747	3,482	954	8,843	2,329	1,528	12,092	6,034
	Males,	25,053	274	933	2,172	53	3,118	382	1,798	476	4,555	1,160	780	6,264	3,088
	Females,	23,716	244	968	2,018	49	2,952	362	1,683	478	4,286	1,167	744	5,826	2,939
	Unknown,	21	–	–	–	–	–	3	1	–	2	2	4	2	7
Jan.	Totals,	3,965	32	152	323	8	453	50	309	89	693	180	125	1,024	527
	Males,	1,973	18	70	155	4	250	26	153	39	334	81	64	518	261
	Females,	1,989	14	82	168	4	203	24	156	50	359	98	61	506	264
	Unknown,	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	2
Feb.	Totals,	3,821	31	166	370	9	438	70	282	76	683	179	105	951	461
	Males,	1,989	15	77	197	4	225	38	141	38	357	83	59	501	254
	Females,	1,829	16	89	173	5	213	32	141	38	326	96	46	448	206
	Unknown,	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1
March.	Totals,	4,104	34	158	346	8	529	57	288	83	720	194	119	1,027	541
	Males,	2,138	18	88	186	4	288	33	147	35	356	98	69	545	271
	Females,	1,963	16	70	160	4	241	24	140	48	363	96	49	482	270
	Unknown,	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–
April.	Totals,	3,836	30	148	311	10	489	77	298	67	657	202	124	920	503
	Males,	1,942	14	57	170	8	238	45	154	37	327	103	65	464	260
	Females,	1,892	16	91	141	2	251	32	144	30	330	98	58	456	243
	Unknown,	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–
May.	Totals,	4,001	40	167	359	13	520	64	265	82	663	202	146	937	543
	Males,	2,051	16	87	204	7	259	32	138	48	353	100	66	481	260
	Females,	1,949	24	80	155	6	261	31	127	34	310	102	80	456	283
	Unknown,	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

June.	Totals,	3,840	50	157	350	10	456	61	290	65	705	177	120	924	475
	Males,	2,053	33	75	194	4	244	33	166	36	365	98	69	475	261
	Females,	1,787	17	82	156	6	212	28	124	29	340	79	51	449	214
July.	Totals,	4,219	53	155	379	8	516	70	297	83	794	216	115	1,058	475
	Males,	2,126	28	76	189	4	267	28	143	39	419	109	54	523	247
	Females,	2,092	25	79	190	4	249	42	154	44	374	107	61	535	228
	Unknown,	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Aug.	Totals,	4,461	65	166	368	10	571	63	310	91	840	200	152	1,079	546
	Males,	2,273	30	89	189	4	303	27	158	46	428	104	68	547	280
	Females,	2,188	35	77	179	6	268	36	152	45	412	96	84	532	266
Sept.	Totals,	4,246	51	180	369	5	502	64	315	90	788	207	141	1,014	520
	Males,	2,153	25	76	176	1	249	41	169	42	427	107	64	516	260
	Females,	2,092	26	104	193	4	253	22	146	48	361	100	77	498	260
	Unknown,	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oct.	Totals,	4,194	44	160	361	10	537	55	287	69	786	189	153	1,071	472
	Males,	2,205	29	99	177	7	263	19	167	35	423	80	80	589	237
	Females,	1,986	15	61	184	3	274	35	120	34	363	109	72	482	234
	Unknown,	3	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	1
Nov.	Totals,	3,992	51	150	300	7	525	59	276	94	727	180	121	1,044	458
	Males,	2,037	28	72	161	3	257	29	126	47	387	87	61	543	236
	Females,	1,952	23	78	139	4	268	30	150	47	340	93	60	501	219
	Unknown,	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3
Dec.	Totals,	4,106	37	142	354	4	534	57	265	65	782	203	107	1,043	513
	Males,	2,111	20	67	174	3	275	31	136	34	377	110	61	562	261
	Females,	1,994	17	75	180	1	259	26	129	31	405	93	45	481	252
	Unknown,	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
Not stat'd.	Totals,	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	–	–	–	–
	Males,	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
	Females,	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	–	–

Supplement A.

PLURALITY CASES.—1885.

[Included in Tables I. and II.]

Year and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
The Year.	Totals,	765	14	22	48	–	94	8	55	14	150	53	20	166	121
	Males,	377	5	13	28	–	40	5	26	6	70	24	5	92	63
	Females,	388	9	9	20	–	54	3	29	8	80	29	15	74	58
Jan.	Totals,	58	2	–	6	–	4	–	8	2	10	2	–	12	12
	Males,	28	1	–	–	–	2	–	4	1	3	2	–	9	6
	Females,	30	1	–	6	–	2	–	4	1	7	–	–	3	6
Feb.	Totals,	54	2	–	8	–	6	2	6	–	6	6	–	12	6
	Males,	27	1	–	5	–	2	1	2	–	3	3	–	6	4
	Females,	27	1	–	3	–	4	1	4	–	3	3	–	6	2
Mar.	Totals,	60	–	4	4	–	4	2	2	–	16	4	–	8	16
	Males,	33	–	3	4	–	2	2	1	–	5	4	–	5	7
	Females,	27	–	1	–	–	2	–	1	–	11	–	–	3	9
April.	Totals,	58	–	–	10	–	6	–	6	–	13	4	–	6	13
	Males,	32	–	–	8	–	3	–	4	–	5	3	–	3	6
	Females,	26	–	–	2	–	3	–	2	–	8	1	–	3	7
May.	Totals,	54	2	2	2	–	–	–	2	2	15	7	4	12	6
	Males,	24	–	2	2	–	–	–	1	–	8	1	1	6	3
	Females,	30	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	7	6	3	6	3
June.	Totals,	58	2	2	–	–	14	–	4	–	6	4	–	16	10
	Males,	23	1	1	–	–	5	–	3	–	2	–	–	7	4
	Females,	35	1	1	–	–	9	–	1	–	4	4	–	9	6
July.	Totals,	80	2	4	2	–	18	–	6	–	24	4	–	12	8
	Males,	40	1	2	1	–	9	–	–	–	13	1	–	8	5
	Females,	40	1	2	1	–	9	–	6	–	11	3	–	4	3
Aug.	Totals,	87	–	–	4	–	16	–	9	4	22	6	4	18	4
	Males,	42	–	–	2	–	8	–	4	3	11	1	2	9	2
	Females,	45	–	–	2	–	8	–	5	1	11	5	2	9	2

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Year and Months.	SEX.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Sept.	Totals, .	66	–	2	6	–	10	2	6	2	6	2	–	16	14
	Males, .	28	–	1	2	–	3	2	2	–	3	1	–	5	9
	Females, .	38	–	1	4	–	7	–	4	2	3	1	–	11	5
Oct.	Totals, .	72	–	6	4	–	8	–	2	2	16	4	4	16	10
	Males, .	42	–	4	2	–	3	–	2	1	10	3	–	12	5
	Females, .	30	–	2	2	–	5	–	–	1	6	1	4	4	5
Nov.	Totals, .	64	4	2	–	–	2	2	4	2	8	4	6	26	4
	Males, .	27	1	–	–	–	–	–	3	1	4	2	1	13	2
	Females, .	37	3	2	–	–	2	2	1	1	4	2	5	13	2
Dec.	Totals, .	54	–	–	2	–	6	–	–	–	8	6	2	12	18
	Males, .	31	–	–	2	–	3	–	–	–	3	3	1	9	10
	Females, .	23	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	–	5	3	1	3	8

Supplement B.

ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS.—1885.

Year and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
The Year.	Totals, .	903	13	18	30	4	76	7	24	5	129	20	14	525	38
	Males, .	484	5	9	18	4	39	5	17	1	73	12	11	268	22
	Females, .	419	8	9	12	–	37	2	7	4	56	8	3	257	16
Jan.	Totals, .	65	–	–	–	2	5	–	3	1	10	–	–	43	1
	Males, .	41	–	–	–	2	4	–	1	–	7	–	–	26	1
	Females, .	24	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	3	–	–	17	–
Feb.	Totals, .	82	1	3	6	1	4	1	1	1	13	1	2	42	6
	Males, .	42	–	3	6	1	3	–	1	–	7	–	1	16	4
	Females, .	40	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	6	1	1	26	2
Mar.	Totals, .	97	1	2	3	–	12	–	–	–	10	2	2	63	2
	Males, .	58	1	1	2	–	5	–	–	–	4	2	2	39	2
	Females, .	39	–	1	1	–	7	–	–	–	6	–	–	24	–
April.	Totals, .	77	2	3	1	–	2	–	3	–	9	1	2	49	5
	Males, .	39	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	4	–	2	28	3
	Females, .	38	2	3	1	–	2	–	1	–	5	1	–	21	2
May.	Totals, .	95	1	1	1	–	11	1	3	–	10	1	4	61	1
	Males, .	52	1	–	–	–	6	1	3	–	4	1	3	33	–
	Females, .	43	–	1	1	–	5	–	–	–	6	–	1	28	1
June.	Totals, .	86	2	–	4	1	6	–	3	–	15	2	–	51	2
	Males, .	44	1	–	2	1	4	–	1	–	11	2	–	21	1
	Females, .	42	1	–	2	–	2	–	2	–	4	–	–	30	1
July.	Totals, .	75	1	1	4	–	10	1	2	–	8	1	–	41	6
	Males, .	41	1	–	3	–	6	1	1	–	4	1	–	19	5
	Females, .	34	–	1	1	–	4	–	1	–	4	–	–	22	1
Aug.	Totals, .	79	1	3	3	–	4	–	2	1	9	4	1	46	5
	Males, .	44	–	3	1	–	3	–	2	–	5	2	1	25	2
	Females, .	35	1	–	2	–	1	–	–	1	4	2	–	21	3

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Year and Months.	SEX.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Sept.	Totals, .	80	–	1	5	–	5	1	3	1	15	2	1	42	4
	Males, .	40	–	–	2	–	2	–	3	1	10	1	1	20	–
	Females, .	40	–	1	3	–	3	1	–	–	5	1	–	22	4
Oct.	Totals, .	60	–	1	1	–	7	–	3	–	12	2	–	33	1
	Males, .	28	–	1	1	–	2	–	2	–	4	1	–	16	1
	Females, .	32	–	–	–	–	5	–	1	–	8	1	–	17	–
Nov.	Totals, .	52	–	2	1	–	5	–	–	1	9	2	–	30	2
	Males, .	26	–	1	1	–	2	–	–	–	6	2	–	13	1
	Females, .	26	–	1	–	–	3	–	–	1	3	–	–	17	1
Dec.	Totals, .	55	4	1	1	–	5	3	1	–	9	2	2	24	3
	Males, .	29	1	–	–	–	2	3	1	–	7	–	1	11	2
	Females, .	26	3	1	1	–	3	–	–	–	2	2	1	12	1

156 in Boston not included above, parents both unknown.

Table III. — STILL-BORN.

Distinguishing by Counties, by Months, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Still-births during the Year

1885.

Year and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
The Year.	Totals, .	1,589	12	40	153	9	193	17	58	13	260	72	30	559	173
	Males, .	885	5	23	90	1	97	4	35	6	162	42	13	314	93
	Females,	637	6	9	59	1	88	8	17	7	94	28	13	243	64
	Unk., .	67	1	8	4	7	8	5	6	–	4	2	4	2	16
Jan.	Totals, .	146	1	3	10	1	20	2	3	2	33	6	3	46	16
	Males, .	79	–	2	5	1	9	–	2	1	19	2	–	30	8
	Females,	61	1	–	5	–	10	1	1	1	13	4	3	16	6
	Unk., .	6	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	2
Feb.	Totals, .	139	2	4	15	–	18	–	8	1	16	9	2	50	14
	Males, .	82	2	1	10	–	11	–	5	1	12	5	–	26	9
	Females,	47	–	1	2	–	7	–	2	–	3	3	1	24	4
	Unk., .	10	–	2	3	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	1
March.	Totals, .	147	3	4	12	2	18	1	8	1	28	6	1	51	12
	Males, .	82	–	1	9	–	10	–	5	–	16	4	–	32	5
	Females,	61	3	3	3	1	8	1	2	1	12	2	–	19	6
	Unk., .	4	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1
April.	Totals, .	112	–	4	7	–	12	3	5	–	23	6	–	36	16
	Males, .	62	–	3	3	–	8	1	3	–	16	3	–	18	7
	Females,	48	–	1	4	–	4	1	2	–	7	3	–	17	9
	Unk., .	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
May.	Totals, .	139	1	1	15	1	19	1	3	1	19	8	6	50	14
	Males, .	74	1	1	7	–	7	–	2	–	9	6	4	27	10
	Females,	62	–	–	8	–	11	1	–	1	10	2	2	23	4
	Unk., .	3	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
June.	Totals, .	120	–	2	13	3	19	1	4	3	15	1	1	45	13
	Males, .	61	–	1	6	–	8	1	4	1	9	–	–	25	6
	Females,	50	–	1	7	–	7	–	–	2	6	1	1	20	5
	Unk., .	9	–	–	–	3	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2

TABLE III. — Concluded.

Year and Months.	SEX.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
July.	Totals, .	131	3	–	8	–	6	1	4	3	33	8	4	45	16
	Males, .	73	1	–	5	–	2	1	3	2	18	5	2	22	12
	Females,	51	1	–	3	–	4	–	1	1	13	3	1	23	1
	Unk., .	7	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	3
Aug.	Totals, .	118	–	6	9	1	15	–	6	1	17	4	3	43	13
	Males, .	70	–	4	3	–	11	–	3	1	12	2	2	28	4
	Females,	42	–	–	6	–	4	–	3	–	5	2	1	14	7
	Unk., .	6	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	2
Sept.	Totals, .	139	1	2	19	1	16	3	4	1	12	9	4	49	18
	Males, .	69	–	1	10	–	7	–	3	–	6	5	3	25	9
	Females,	62	1	1	9	–	8	1	–	1	6	3	1	24	7
	Unk., .	8	–	–	–	1	1	2	1	–	–	1	–	–	2
Oct.	Totals, .	139	–	4	15	–	17	2	3	–	29	4	1	44	20
	Males, .	86	–	2	11	–	10	–	1	–	18	3	1	29	11
	Females,	49	–	2	3	–	6	2	2	–	11	1	–	15	7
	Unk., .	4	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Nov.	Totals, .	123	1	5	18	–	13	2	4	–	20	4	2	46	8
	Males, .	71	1	3	11	–	5	–	1	–	15	1	1	26	7
	Females,	49	–	–	7	–	8	1	3	–	5	3	1	20	1
	Unk., .	3	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dec.	Totals, .	136	–	5	12	–	20	1	6	–	15	7	3	54	13
	Males, .	76	–	4	10	–	9	1	3	–	12	6	–	26	5
	Females,	55	–	–	2	–	11	–	1	–	3	1	2	28	7
	Unk , .	5	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	1

Table IV. — MARRIAGES.

Distinguishing by Counties and by Months the Number of Marriages Registered during the Year

1885.

Year and Months.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
The Year, .	17,052	277	539	1445	67	2430	282	1080	358	3057	709	652	4289	1867
January, .	1,406	33	37	156	4	183	32	85	25	262	43	50	353	143
February, .	1,221	17	42	113	5	146	18	92	28	195	54	46	346	119
March, .	735	10	33	67	4	122	18	47	16	126	22	30	168	72
April, . .	1,454	24	38	104	2	194	22	101	36	283	55	44	407	144
May, . .	1,258	14	41	115	6	159	27	86	22	216	48	66	305	153
June, . .	1,678	17	54	118	1	225	24	118	39	328	78	61	428	187
July, . .	1,157	18	35	96	3	159	16	59	22	222	60	51	289	127
August, .	1,096	12	20	105	5	158	21	62	20	177	49	28	290	143
September, .	1,662	23	54	142	4	236	19	108	32	311	72	61	422	178
October, .	1,894	21	66	149	11	274	31	129	36	312	75	69	478	243
November, .	2,051	47	57	182	12	333	22	122	56	361	84	78	499	198
December, .	1,439	41	56	98	10	241	32	71	26	263	69	68	304	160
Unknown, .	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–

Table V. — MARRIAGES.

Exhibiting the Social Condition and Ages, respectively, of Parties Married during the Year

1885.

Aggregate — Of all Conditions.

Age of Males.	Age of Females. All Ages.	Under 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
All Ages,	17,052	2,831	7,518	3,858	1,354	716	337	202	104	58	33	15	7	–	–	19
Under 20, .	350	249	93	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 25, .	5,968	1,711	3,587	597	55	14	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	2
25 to 30, .	5,650	681	2,841	1,814	944	55	6	3	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	5
30 to 35, .	2,226	139	656	854	436	118	13	5	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	2
35 to 40, .	1,164	31	228	374	300	190	33	5	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
40 to 45, .	584	11	74	110	143	138	89	16	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
45 to 50, .	418	5	27	64	98	86	72	57	6	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 55, .	257	2	4	19	40	61	50	53	21	6	–	–	–	–	–	1
55 to 60, .	161	1	5	10	18	27	32	29	27	8	4	–	–	–	–	–
60 to 65, .	126	–	2	3	15	16	21	18	25	12	11	2	1	–	–	–
65 to 70, .	80	1	–	4	4	5	13	13	9	15	10	5	1	–	–	–
70 to 75, .	39	–	1	1	–	5	5	2	6	10	3	5	1	–	–	–
75 to 80, .	16	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	4	2	3	1	3	–	–	–
Over 80, .	5	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Unknown,	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	8

(A.) First Marriage of both Parties.

All Ages,	13,738	2,719	6,983	3,089	689	174	46	16	7	2	–	–	–	–	–	13
Under 20, .	347	249	92	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 25, .	5,779	1,695	3,506	533	38	5	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
25 to 30, .	5,151	641	2,699	1,615	163	22	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5
30 to 35, .	1,639	110	516	680	289	36	4	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
35 to 40, .	564	15	134	202	140	63	9	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
40 to 45, .	144	6	29	34	37	26	10	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
45 to 50, .	71	2	6	14	9	19	14	6	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 55, .	23	1	–	3	10	2	1	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
55 to 60, .	10	–	–	2	2	1	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60 to 65, .	3	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
65 to 70, .	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
70 to 75, .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
75 to 80, .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Over 80, .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown,	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6

Table V.—Continued.

(B.) First Marriage of Male, and Subsequent Marriage of Female.

Age of Males.	Age of Females.															
	All Ages.	Under 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
All Ages,	757	3	96	228	212	141	42	22	6	3	1	1	–	–	–	2
Under 20,	3	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 25,	130	2	46	55	16	9	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
25 to 30,	246	1	32	116	66	28	2	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
30 to 35,	165	–	12	32	64	47	5	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
35 to 40,	101	–	3	14	43	30	6	3	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
40 to 45,	64	–	2	4	16	20	17	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
45 to 50,	24	–	–	3	5	5	5	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 55,	13	–	–	1	2	2	3	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
55 to 60,	4	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–		–	–	–
60 to 65,	4	–	–	1	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
65 to 70,	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
70 to 75,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
75 to 80,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Over 80,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

(C.) Subsequent Marriage of the Male, but First Marriage of Female.

All Ages,	1,659	105	415	459	292	213	89	43	28	10	3	–	1	–	–	1
Under 20,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 25,	52	12	32	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 30,	219	37	102	68	9	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
30 to 35,	341	29	124	118	51	16	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
35 to 40,	366	16	87	138	77	44	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
40 to 45,	236	5	40	60	58	52	19	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
45 to 50,	185	3	19	42	52	37	22	9	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 55,	96	1	4	14	19	26	13	15	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
55 to 60,	70	1	5	5	11	15	15	5	11	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
60 to 65,	51	–	1	1	11	11	7	8	8	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
65 to 70,	25	1	–	4	3	5	4	2	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
70 to 75,	12	–	1	1	–	4	1	1	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
75 to 80,	4	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Over 80,	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table V. — Concluded.

(D.) Subsequent Marriage of both Parties.

Age of Males.	Age of Females.															
	All Ages.	Under 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
All Ages,	894	2	24	82	161	188	160	121	63	13	29	14	6	–	–	1
Under 20,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 25,	5	–	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 30,	34	2	8	15	6	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
30 to 35,	81	–	4	24	32	19	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
35 to 40,	133	–	4	20	40	53	14	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
40 to 45,	140	–	3	12	32	40	43	8	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
45 to 50,	138	–	2	5	32	25	31	36	4	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 55,	125	–	–	1	9	31	33	32	15	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
55 to 60,	77	–	–	3	5	11	13	22	14	6	3	–	–	–	–	–
60 to 65,	68	–	–	1	4	5	10	10	16	10	9	2	1	–	–	–
65 to 70,	51	–	–	–	–	–	9	10	5	12	9	5	1	–	–	–
70 to 75,	27	–	–	–	–	1	4	1	5	7	3	5	1	–	–	–
75 to 80,	12	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	3	2	3	1	2	–	–	–
Over 80,	3	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Unknown,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

(E.) Condition of Parties not stated.

All Ages,	4	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Under 20,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 25,	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
25 to 30,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
30 to 35,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
35 to 40,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
40 to 45,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
45 to 50,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 55,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
55 to 60,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60 to 65,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
65 to 70,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
70 to 75,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
75 to 80,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Over 80,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown,	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2

Table VI. — DEATHS.

Distinguishing by Counties, by Months, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Persons who died during the Year

1865.

Year and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
The Year.	Totals	38094	560	1328	3269	211	4764	593	2151	820	6642	1703	1433	10,204	4416
	Males	18889	258	626	1630	100	2392	286	1055	394	3307	851	738	5104	2158
	Fem.	19205	302	702	1639	111	2372	307	1096	426	3335	852	705	5100	2258
Jan.	Totals	3,296	45	140	259	13	390	45	163	66	599	143	117	910	406
	Males	1,615	28	61	133	6	188	23	89	27	308	73	55	448	176
	Fem.	1,681	17	79	126	7	202	22	74	39	291	70	62	462	230
Feb.	Totals	3,195	38	107	261	25	444	46	176	73	565	141	132	840	347
	Males	1,555	18	47	125	13	213	18	87	33	286	73	64	399	179
	Fem.	1,640	20	60	136	12	231	28	89	40	279	68	68	441	168
Mar.	Totals	3,597	57	128	349	10	439	65	232	80	608	141	152	912	424
	Males	1,797	28	61	171	1	217	31	113	37	312	55	79	478	214
	Fem.	1,800	29	67	178	9	222	34	119	43	296	86	73	434	210
April.	Totals	3,664	51	147	306	18	444	76	203	70	633	165	119	993	439
	Males	1,758	23	59	142	11	204	30	99	36	312	86	63	477	216
	Fem.	1,906	28	88	164	7	240	46	104	34	321	79	56	516	223
May.	Totals	3,119	56	118	266	14	377	56	150	60	514	133	129	879	367
	Males	1,480	27	60	127	4	177	26	68	19	248	61	58	420	185
	Fem.	1,639	29	58	139	10	200	30	82	41	266	72	71	459	182
June.	Totals	2,692	41	81	221	14	313	44	162	60	477	115	95	745	324
	Males	1,323	27	41	102	7	159	20	81	30	224	60	42	383	147
	Fem.	1,369	14	40	119	7	154	24	81	30	253	55	53	362	177
July.	Totals	3,785	52	115	334	13	440	42	279	95	642	170	118	1085	400
	Males	1,964	19	60	181	8	224	29	146	46	319	84	71	586	191
	Fem.	1,821	33	55	153	5	216	13	133	49	323	86	47	499	209
Aug.	Totals	3,780	51	116	332	35	509	52	205	84	683	184	158	919	452
	Males	1,924	14	50	160	18	273	24	110	49	338	111	72	474	231
	Fem.	1,856	37	66	172	17	236	28	95	35	345	73	86	445	221

TABLE VI. — Concluded.

Year and Months.	SEX.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Sept.	Totals	3,005	48	114	267	29	344	40	165	59	518	160	112	782	367
	Males	1,549	20	55	146	11	187	24	76	24	292	80	61	395	178
	Fem.	1,456	28	59	121	18	157	16	89	35	226	80	51	387	189
Oct.	Totals	2,628	42	97	215	11	342	45	142	65	440	119	87	735	288
	Males	1,272	18	52	105	6	160	19	60	33	219	58	45	352	145
	Fem.	1,356	24	45	110	5	182	26	82	32	221	61	42	383	143
Nov.	Totals	2,531	33	81	195	17	330	43	120	50	467	119	95	701	280
	Males	1,259	19	37	110	11	172	20	57	33	218	56	47	343	136
	Fem.	1,272	14	44	85	6	158	23	63	17	249	63	48	358	144
Dec.	Totals	2,802	46	84	264	12	392	39	154	58	496	113	119	703	322
	Males	1,393	17	43	128	4	218	22	69	27	231	54	71	349	160
	Fem.	1,409	29	41	136	8	174	17	85	31	265	59	48	354	162

TABLE VII.—DEATHS BY AGE AND SEX,

Distinguishing by Age and Sex the Number of Deaths registered in each Population, distinguishing Sex, according to the Census of 1885,—and

State and Counties.	Population. Census 1885.		Percentage of D'ths to Pop.	No. of Deaths Regist'd 1885.	Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 15
Massachusetts	1,942,141	Tot.	1·92	38,094	7,625	2,103	1,036	664	528	1,358	668
	932,884	Ma.	·	18,889	4,254	1,078	551	361	273	652	317
	1,009,257	Fe.	·	19,205	3,371	1,025	485	303	255	706	351
Barnstable,	29,845	Tot.	1·88	560	58	14	6	1	–	8	8
	14,466	Ma.	·	258	35	8	4	1	–	5	4
	15,379	Fe.	·	302	23	6	2	–	–	3	4
Berkshire,	73,828	Tot.	1·80	1,328	253	66	32	33	20	59	38
	36,144	Ma.	·	626	144	29	16	16	8	25	13
	37,684	Fe.	·	702	109	37	16	17	12	34	25
Bristol,	158,498	Tot.	2·06	3,269	760	186	102	56	41	99	52
	75,856	Ma.	·	1,630	427	97	55	28	15	53	28
	82,642	Fe.	·	1,639	333	89	47	28	26	46	24
Dukes,	4,135	Tot.	2·54	105	11	–	2	–	1	3	2
	2,006	Ma.	·	57	4	–	1	–	–	2	1
	2,129	Fe.	·	48	7	–	1	–	1	1	1
Essex,	263,727	Tot.	1·81	4,764	875	207	114	68	70	145	99
	126,011	Ma.	·	2,392	477	101	66	36	43	66	44
	137,716	Fe.	·	2,372	398	106	48	32	27	79	55
Franklin,	37,449	Tot.	1·58	593	69	20	11	5	11	19	7
	18,761	Ma.	·	286	48	15	4	5	6	8	5
	18,688	Fe.	·	307	21	5	7	–	5	11	2
Hampden,	116,764	Tot.	1·84	2,151	521	126	62	33	29	100	36
	55,922	Ma.	·	1,055	303	55	34	20	11	49	17
	60,842	Fe.	·	1,096	218	71	26	13	18	51	19
Hampshire,	48,472	Tot.	1·69	820	127	27	16	8	9	28	16
	22,921	Ma.	·	394	74	14	7	2	4	13	9
	25,551	Fe.	·	426	53	13	9	6	5	15	7
Middlesex,	357,311	Tot.	1·86	6,642	1,323	390	164	138	102	267	117
	169,491	Ma.	·	3.307	737	201	85	83	56	143	58
	187,820	Fe.	·	3,335	586	189	79	55	46	124	59
Nantucket,	3,142	Tot.	3·37	106	8	3	3	2	1	5	2
	1,340	Ma.	·	43	5	2	–	–	–	2	1
	1,802	Fe.	·	63	3	1	3	2	1	3	1
Norfolk,	102,142	Tot.	1·67	1,703	282	64	38	22	18	44	34
	49,000	Ma.	·	851	171	39	21	14	9	21	20
	53,142	Fe.	·	852	111	25	17	8	9	23	14
Plymouth,	81,680	Tot.	1·75	1,433	197	56	22	19	12	55	24
	40,553	Ma.	·	728	117	27	12	10	6	22	9
	41,127	Fe.	·	705	80	29	10	9	6	33	15
Suffolk,	421,109	Tot.	2·42	10,204	2,323	679	331	205	155	381	162
	200,808	Ma.	·	5,104	1,287	357	174	99	83	178	76
	220,301	Fe.	·	5,100	1,036	322	157	106	72	203	86
Worcester,	244,039	Tot.	1·81	4,416	818	265	133	74	59	145	71
	119,605	Ma.	·	2,158	425	133	70	47	32	65	32
	124,434	Fe.	·	2,258	393	132	63	27	27	80	39

AND BY COUNTIES AND TOWNS.—1885.

County and Town in the State during the year 1885,—in Connection with the also with the Percentage of the Registered Number of Deaths to the Population.

15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 and over.	Unknown.
1190	1709	1783	1552	1510	1453	1436	1509	1581	1724	1954	1902	1847	1545	848	322	114	133
525	784	795	694	712	718	712	727	799	861	1011	936	892	695	313	100	39	90
665	925	988	858	798	735	724	782	782	863	943	966	955	850	535	222	75	43
22	21	22	13	15	16	16	14	31	30	41	52	66	61	24	15	5	1
3	9	12	6	5	6	6	3	14	14	24	28	32	20	9	7	2	1
19	12	10	7	10	10	10	11	17	16	17	24	34	41	15	8	3	–
58	51	50	47	33	41	48	47	36	55	84	85	74	63	28	17	4	6
24	29	23	17	9	16	22	19	20	30	38	40	32	36	10	8	1	1
34	22	27	30	24	25	26	28	16	25	46	45	42	27	18	9	3	5
106	128	137	107	125	119	110	125	135	154	163	158	152	147	63	26	12	6
48	65	51	51	50	55	60	52	67	87	92	70	75	69	24	3	4	4
58	63	86	56	75	64	50	73	68	67	71	88	77	78	39	23	8	2
1	2	5	7	5	2	1	2	7	6	14	8	12	7	5	1	1	–
–	2	5	6	3	–	1	–	4	3	6	4	8	5	2	–	–	–
1	–	–	1	2	2	–	2	3	3	8	4	4	2	3	1	1	–
153	217	233	214	219	188	190	190	213	185	237	259	242	218	111	39	21	57
67	104	104	108	96	103	92	90	115	87	115	135	117	107	47	12	8	52
86	113	129	106	123	85	98	100	98	98	122	124	125	111	64	27	13	5
20	26	27	24	15	17	22	21	13	30	49	50	52	47	26	4	6	2
9	9	14	10	7	11	10	8	5	15	20	25	22	21	8	1	–	–
11	17	13	14	8	6	12	13	8	15	29	25	30	26	18	3	6	2
86	101	93	76	74	60	85	86	81	82	93	75	82	81	56	16	8	9
37	42	38	29	28	25	42	43	40	34	51	44	40	39	19	5	3	5
49	59	55	47	46	35	43	43	41	48	42	31	42	42	37	11	5	4
26	34	29	22	27	32	25	36	38	56	51	51	71	40	32	14	3	2
11	13	5	6	13	20	10	16	21	28	28	23	33	21	13	6	3	1
15	21	24	16	14	12	15	20	17	28	23	28	38	19	19	8	–	1
173	316	310	262	246	256	265	252	289	319	344	327	320	238	146	55	18	5
84	143	133	115	113	115	119	127	150	158	176	172	162	97	54	18	5	3
89	173	177	147	133	141	146	125	139	161	168	155	158	141	92	37	13	2
1	2	1	3	1	2	4	3	6	6	5	11	14	13	6	3	–	1
–	–	1	1	1	–	–	2	3	3	2	3	10	6	1	–	–	–
1	2	–	2	–	2	4	1	3	3	3	8	4	7	5	3	–	1
66	63	85	53	63	66	53	73	89	92	114	103	109	94	54	16	8	–
29	27	42	21	33	25	28	33	41	41	69	42	54	47	15	6	3	–
37	36	43	32	30	41	25	40	48	51	45	61	55	47	39	10	5	–
42	68	54	59	42	56	66	54	59	75	84	97	96	102	63	26	2	3
16	30	22	28	25	30	37	28	30	40	46	48	53	52	26	10	2	2
26	38	32	31	17	26	29	26	29	35	38	49	43	50	37	16	–	1
269	462	530	506	490	459	408	446	403	428	456	380	292	239	126	46	14	14
128	221	250	229	256	240	218	230	187	223	222	173	121	88	43	10	7	4
141	241	280	277	234	219	190	216	216	205	234	207	171	151	83	36	7	10
167	218	207	159	155	139	143	160	181	206	219	246	265	195	108	44	12	27
69	90	95	67	73	72	67	76	102	98	122	129	133	87	42	14	1	17
98	128	112	92	82	67	76	84	79	108	97	117	132	108	66	30	11	10

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.					
Barnst'ble Co.	29,845	To.	29,845	1·88	560	560	58	14	6	1	-
		Ma.	14,466			258	35	8	4	1	-
		Fe.	15,379			302	23	6	2	-	-
Barnstable,	4,050	Ma.	1,904	1 58	64	28	4	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	2,146			36	5	1	-	-	-
Bourne,	1,363	Ma.	677	1·47	20	10	1	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	686			10	-	-	-	-	-
Brewster,	934	Ma.	423	2·35	22	10	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	511			12	-	-	-	-	-
Chatham,	2,028	Ma.	992	2·32	47	20	5	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	1,036			27	3	-	-	-	-
Dennis,	2,923	Ma.	1,397	2·15	63	26	2	-	1	-	-
		Fe.	1,526			37	1	2	-	-	-
Eastham,	638	Ma.	317	1·72	11	3	-	1	-	-	-
		Fe.	321			8	-	-	-	-	-
Falmouth,	2,520	Ma.	1,244	1 63	41	18	4	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	1,276			23	2	-	-	-	-
Harwich,	2,783	Ma.	1,384	1·76	49	19	3	-	1	-	-
		Fe.	1,399			30	-	1	-	-	-
Mashpee,	311	Ma.	170	1·61	5	3	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	141			2	-	-	-	-	-
Orleans,	1,176	Ma.	539	2 47	29	17	1	1	-	-	-
		Fe.	637			12	1	-	-	-	-
Provincetown,	4,480	Ma.	2,212	1·81	81	43	10	6	2	-	-
		Fe.	2,268			38	8	2	1	-	-
Sandwich,	2,124	Ma.	1,029	1·22	26	9	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	1,095			17	-	-	-	-	-
Truro,	972	Ma.	467	2·47	24	10	4	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	505			14	1	-	-	-	-
Wellfleet,	1,687	Ma.	832	2·43	41	19	1	-	-	1	-
		Fe	855			22	1	-	-	-	-
Yarmouth,	1,856	Ma.	879	1·99	37	23	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	977			14	1	-	1	-	-
Berkshire Co.	73,828	To.	73,828	1 80	1,328	1,328	253	66	32	33	20
		Ma.	36,144			626	144	29	16	16	8
		Fe.	37,684			702	109	37	16	17	12
Adams,	8,283	Ma.	4,032	1·89	157	69	21	4	3	-	2
		Fe.	4,251			88	26	7	4	3	4
Alford,	341	Ma.	176	3·52	12	7	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	165			5	-	-	-	-	-
Becket,	938	Ma.	485	2 02	19	12	1	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	453			7	2	-	-	-	-

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
8	8	22	21	22	13	15	16	16	14	31	30	41	52	66	61	24	15	5	1
5	4	3	9	12	6	5	6	6	3	14	14	24	28	32	20	9	7	2	1
3	4	19	12	10	7	10	10	10	11	17	16	17	24	34	41	15	8	3	–
–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	1	1	1	2	2	3	6	3	2	–	–	–
–	1	2	1	3	–	1	–	2	2	1	1	1	4	3	6	1	1	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	3	1	–	–	1	–
–	1	–	3	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	2	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	2	3	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	3	3	1	1	2	–	–	–
–	–	2	1	1	–	1	–	3	–	2	–	–	2	2	6	–	3	1	–
1	2	1	–	1	–	–	2	2	–	–	1	3	5	1	1	1	1	–	1
1	–	2	3	–	–	2	1	1	2	3	3	2	4	4	3	–	3	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	2	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	–	–	–
–	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	2	1	1	3	3	3	2	–	1	–
–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	2	1	4	3	1	–	–	–	–
–	1	4	2	–	3	1	1	–	–	–	1	4	1	2	5	4	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	3	–	2	–	2	3	–	1	2	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	1	1	3	2	–	–	–
1	–	1	1	–	–	2	1	1	2	3	3	4	2	3	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	2	1	–	3	–	2	4	1	3	1	4	4	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	1	1	–	–	–
1	–	1	3	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	2	1	2	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	3	–	–	1	–	–
–	–	1	–	2	–	–	1	–	–	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	3	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	4	3	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	1	1	–	1	1	3	–	2	1	1	–	3	2	1	2	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	2	1	4	1	5	4	1	3	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	1	1	3	2	1	–	–	–
59	38	58	51	50	47	33	41	48	47	36	55	84	85	74	63	28	17	4	6
25	13	24	29	23	17	9	16	22	19	20	30	38	40	32	36	10	8	1	1
34	25	34	22	27	30	24	25	26	28	16	25	46	45	42	27	18	9	3	5
2	2	6	3	2	3	–	2	2	2	1	1	5	3	2	1	1	1	–	–
2	2	3	2	2	6	2	4	2	3	2	1	3	6	1	1	1	–	–	1
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	4	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	1	1	–	–
–	1	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	1	2	–	1	–	1	–	–
–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct. to Pop.	Persons	Sex					
Berkshire—Con.											
Cheshire, . .	1,448	Ma.	742	2·14	31	10	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	706			21	1	1	1	–	–
Clarksburg. .	708	Ma.	373	1·69	12	4	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	335			8	4	–	–	1	–
Dalton, . .	2,113	Ma.	949	1·56	33	11	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,164			22	5	–	–	–	–
Egremont, .	826	Ma.	389	·85	7	2	–	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	437			5	1	–	–	–	–
Florida, . .	487	Ma.	266	1·23	6	5	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	221			1	–	–	–	–	–
Gt. Barrington, .	4,471	Ma.	2,126	1·72	77	41	6	–	1	2	–
		Fe.	2,345			36	3	5	2	–	1
Hancock, . .	613	Ma.	296	1·47	9	5	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	317			4	1	–	–	–	–
Hinsdale, . .	1,656	Ma.	804	1·45	24	13	4	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	852			11	–	–	–	–	–
Lanesborough, .	1,212	Ma.	618	2·56	31	12	2	2	–	1	–
		Fe.	594			19	2	2	1	–	–
Lee, . . .	4,274	Ma.	2,053	1·57	67	38	10	–	2	–	1
		Fe.	2,221			29	4	–	1	1	–
Lenox, . .	2,154	Ma.	1,106	1·72	37	19	3	3	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,048			18	3	–	–	1	–
Monterey, . .	571	Ma.	283	3·15	18	8	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	288			10	3	–	–	–	–
Mt. Washingt'n,	160	Ma.	81	1·87	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	79			3	–	–	–	–	–
New Ashford, .	163	Ma.	80	3·07	5	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	83			2	1	–	–	–	–
New Marlboro',	1,661	Ma.	841	1·68	28	15	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	820			13	–	–	–	–	–
North Adams, .	12,540	Ma.	6,059	2·04	256	116	36	9	3	8	–
		Fe.	6,481			140	24	9	2	7	2
Otis, . . .	703	Ma.	364	·85	6	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	339			3	–	–	–	–	–
Peru, . . .	368	Ma.	198	2·17	8	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	170			6	1	–	–	–	–
Pittsfield, . .	14,466	Ma.	6,870	1·86	269	135	34	6	6	4	4
		Fe.	7,596			134	18	10	2	2	2
Richmond, .	854	Ma.	414	·94	8	4	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	440			4	2	–	–	–	–
Sandisfield, .	1,019	Ma.	517	1·08	11	5	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	502			6	1	1	–	–	–

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	3	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
2	2	1	1	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	3	2	1	–	–	–	1
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	2	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	–
1	–	1	2	1	5	–	1	–	–	3	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2	–	2	4	4	1	–	1	–	2	1	2	3	3	3	3	–	1	–	–
2	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	1	2	1	3	4	2	3	3	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	2	1	–	–	–
–	–	2	–	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	1	2	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	1	–	4	1	1	–	1	–	–	–
2	1	3	–	2	1	–	1	4	–	3	1	1	3	–	1	2	–	–	–
2	–	2	–	2	–	2	1	1	–	–	2	4	2	3	1	1	–	–	–
2	–	–	3	2	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	2	–	–	1	2	1	–	3	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	2	–	–	1	1	–	–	3	1	–	–	–	1	3	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	2	–	2	2	2	1	1	–	–
5	3	2	7	–	2	3	5	6	–	3	4	6	6	5	1	1	1	–	–
14	3	9	4	10	1	6	5	5	5	3	1	9	9	5	3	2	1	–	1
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	1	–	–
5	4	4	2	6	2	4	3	4	3	6	8	7	7	4	9	2	1	–	–
5	7	7	6	5	8	4	5	6	8	2	7	6	8	8	2	5	–	–	1
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct to Pop	Persons.	Sex.					
Berkshire—Con.											
Savoy. . .	691	Ma.	356	1·88	13	7	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	335			6	–	–	1	–	–
Sheffield, . .	2,033	Ma.	1,021	1·67	34	13	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,012			21	–	–	–	–	–
Stockbridge, .	2,114	Ma.	1,030	1·99	42	19	7	1	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,084			23	3	–	–	1	–
Tyringham, .	457	Ma.	226	1·09	5	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	231			2	–	–	–	–	–
Washington, .	470	Ma.	251	1·49	7	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	219			4	1	–	–	–	–
W. Stockbridge,	1,648	Ma.	830	1·82	30	12	4	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	818			18	1	1	1	1	1
Williamstown, .	3,729	Ma.	1,959	1·58	59	28	5	1	1	1	–
		Fe.	1,770			31	2	1	1	–	2
Windsor, . .	657	Ma.	349	·61	4	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	308			2	–	–	–	–	–
BRISTOL CO., .	158,498	To.	158,498	2·06	3,269	3,269	760	186	102	56	41
		Ma.	75,856			1,630	427	97	55	28	15
		Fe.	82,642			1,639	333	89	47	28	26
Acushnet, . .	1,071	Ma.	533	2·99	32	13	2	–	–	–	1
		Fe.	538			19	–	1	1	–	1
Attleborough, .	13,175	Ma.	6,472	1·45	191	92	20	6	1	–	1
		Fe.	6,703			99	9	9	–	3	4
Berkley, . .	941	Ma	488	2·02	19	9	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	453			10	3	1	–	–	–
Dartmouth, .	3,448	Ma.	1,709	1·94	67	32	5	–	3	–	–
		Fe.	1,739			35	2	3	–	–	–
Dighton, . .	1,782	Ma	909	1·85	33	21	4	1	1	–	–
		Fe.	873			12	1	–	–	–	–
Easton, . .	3,948	Ma.	2,011	1·37	54	21	4	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,937			33	3	–	–	–	–
Fairhaven, .	2,880	Ma.	1,318	2·15	62	33	3	3	1	–	1
		Fe.	1,562			29	3	1	–	–	1
Fall River, .	56,870	Ma.	26,807	2·25	1,280	636	215	45	33	13	5
		Fe.	30,063			644	177	30	19	18	9
Freetown, .	1,457	Ma	720	2·75	40	16	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe..	737			24	6	–	2	–	1
Mansfield, .	2,939	Ma.	1,410	1·33	39	17	4	3	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,529			22	1	–	–	–	1
New Bedford, .	33,393	Ma.	15,413	2·21	738	372	105	22	10	9	3
		Fe.	17,980			366	87	25	13	2	6

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
1	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	-
-	6	1	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	1	1	1	1
1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	4	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	5	6	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	2	1	-	2	1	1	-	-
2	1	-	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	2	-	-
3	1	2	1	-	2	1	-	2	-	3	2	3	-	3	-	1	-	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	52	106	128	137	107	125	119	110	125	135	154	163	158	152	147	63	26	12	6
53	28	48	65	51	51	50	55	60	52	67	87	92	70	75	69	24	3	4	4
46	24	58	63	86	56	75	64	50	73	68	67	71	88	77	78	39	23	8	2
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	3	4	1	-	-	-	-
6	3	1	4	3	5	5	3	2	2	8	4	5	5	3	4	1	-	-	-
4	2	2	3	9	2	4	7	6	5	3	4	6	5	5	2	2	2	1	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
1	1	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	1	2	2	2	5	4	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	1	3	2	1	2	1	-	1	3	2	-	2	6	3	2	-	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	-	2	1	4	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-
-	-	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	5	-	-	3	-	-	-
-	1	1	1	1	-	2	2	-	2	3	2	1	6	3	2	3	-	-	-
1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	2	2	3	6	4	-	1	-	-	1
2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	2	2	5	2	3	-	-	-	-
23	8	20	26	24	18	21	32	28	24	20	27	22	9	10	9	4	-	-	-
17	11	35	30	35	28	34	23	20	25	25	24	22	12	17	19	12	2	-	-
1	1	1	3	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	2	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
3	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	2	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	5	2	3	1	-	-	-
15	6	9	15	7	14	13	5	12	10	15	17	25	16	23	13	4	-	3	1
8	6	6	14	17	9	12	12	10	16	19	14	19	24	11	18	8	5	4	1

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns	Population — 1885. Persons.	Sex.		Deaths. Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.	Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
Bristol — Con.											
Norton,	1,718	Ma.	815	2·39	41	21	1	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	903			20	1	2	2	–	–
Raynham,	1,535	Ma.	763	1·95	30	16	–	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	772			14	2	–	–	–	1
Rehoboth,	1,788	Ma.	941	1·96	35	16	–	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	847			19	2	–	–	–	–
Seekonk,	1,295	Ma.	671	2·24	29	18	5	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	624			11	2	–	1	1	–
Somerset,	2,475	Ma.	1,321	1·58	39	22	3	1	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,154			17	3	2	1	–	–
Swanzey,	1,403	Ma.	710	1·57	22	16	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	693			6	–	1	–	–	–
Taunton,	23,674	Ma.	11,528	1·99	470	234	50	7	3	5	4
		Fe.	12,146			236	28	14	8	4	2
Westport,	2,706	Ma.	1,317	1·77	48	25	3	4	1	1	–
		Fe.	1,389			23	3	–	–	–	–
Dukes Co.,	4,135	To.	4,135	2·54	105	105	11	–	2	–	1
		Ma.	2,006			57	4	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	2,129			48	7	–	1	–	1
Chilmark,	412	Ma.	206	2·18	9	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	206			6	1	–	–	–	–
Cottage City,	709	Ma.	357	3·53	25	14	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	352			11	2	–	1	–	–
Edgartown,	1,165	Ma.	557	2·40	28	13	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	608			15	1	–	–	–	–
Gay Head,	186	Ma.	94	2·15	4	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	92			1	–	–	–	–	–
Gosnold,	122	Ma.	71	·82	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	51			–	–	–	–	–	–
Tisbury,	1,541	Ma.	721	2·47	38	23	–	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	820			15	3	–	–	–	1
Essex Co.,	263,727	To.	263,727	1·81	4,764	4,764	875	207	114	68	70
		Ma.	126,011			2,392	477	101	66	36	43
		Fe.	137,716			2,372	398	106	48	32	27
Amesbury,	4,403	Ma.	2,100	2·09	92	53	12	1	1	3	2
		Fe.	2,303			39	4	2	1	1	1
Andover,	5,711	Ma.	2,714	1·38	79	39	10	1	–	–	2
		Fe.	2,997			40	5	1	1	–	–
Beverly,	9,186	Ma.	4,349	1·49	137	65	8	3	1	2	1
		Fe.	4,837			72	7	3	1	–	1
Boxford,	840	Ma.	407	1·55	13	8	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	433			5	–	–	–	–	–

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5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
1	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	2	2	2	2	-	5	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	2	1	-	2	3	2	-	-	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	1	2	3	3	-	1	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	2	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	3	1	1	3	-	-	1	1
1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	2	1	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	1	2	1	1	-	-
-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	4	1	-	2	3	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	1	2	-	-	1	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	-	1	-	-
-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
5	7	12	10	12	9	4	9	11	6	7	13	16	15	14	13	1	-	-	1
8	2	6	10	14	11	10	12	8	14	7	12	9	17	14	13	8	4	-	1
-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	2	1	1	3	-	1	3	-	-	-	-
1	1	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	1	1	1	1	2	4	3	-	-	-	-
3	2	1	2	5	7	5	2	1	2	7	6	14	8	12	7	5	1	1	-
2	1	-	2	5	6	3	-	1	-	4	3	6	4	8	5	2	-	-	-
1	1	1	-	-	1	2	2	-	2	3	3	8	4	4	2	3	1	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	1	1	2	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	4	2	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	3	1	3	1	2	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	2	3	4	3	-	-	-	1	2	-	2	2	1	1	-	-	-
-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	1	1	1	-
145	99	153	217	233	214	219	188	190	190	213	185	237	259	242	218	111	39	21	57
66	44	67	104	104	108	96	103	92	90	115	87	115	135	117	107	47	12	8	52
79	55	86	113	129	106	123	85	98	100	98	98	122	124	125	111	64	27	13	5
5	-	2	2	-	1	-	6	4	1	2	2	2	1	2	3	-	-	1	-
1	1	-	5	2	2	4	3	1	-	2	-	1	2	2	2	1	1	-	-
-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	2	1	3	3	2	5	3	2	-	-	-
1	3	-	-	1	3	-	1	2	-	3	4	2	2	4	4	1	2	-	-
3	-	2	2	5	8	3	-	1	2	2	1	5	6	3	3	3	1	-	-
2	2	6	5	1	4	4	5	2	2	2	4	2	8	6	2	2	1	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population—1885. Persons.	Sex.		Deaths. Per ct to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.	Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
Essex—Con.											
Bradford, . .	3,106	Ma.	1,412	·97	30	13	4	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,694			17	2	1	–	–	–
Danvers, . .	7,061	Ma.	3,358	2·41	170	80	3	4	–	1	–
		Fe.	3,703			90	8	–	–	1	–
Essex, . .	1,722	Ma.	872	2·09	36	16	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	850			20	1	–	–	–	–
Georgetown, .	2,299	Ma.	1,123	1·78	41	24	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,176			17	1	–	–	–	–
Gloucester, .	21,703	Ma.	11,723	1·95	423	266	52	11	8	9	4
		Fe.	9,980			157	36	12	5	4	3
Groveland, .	2,272	Ma.	1,070	1·54	35	14	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,202			21	1	–	–	–	–
Hamilton, .	851	Ma.	420	1 53	13	8	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	431			5	–	–	–	–	–
Haverhill, .	21,795	Ma.	10,455	1·78	387	189	41	8	5	2	8
		Fe.	11,340			198	44	11	4	4	5
Ipswich, . .	4,207	Ma.	1,970	1·78	75	36	7	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	2,237			39	9	–	1	–	–
Lawrence, .	38,862	Ma.	17,706	1·99	774	358	106	20	17	4	7
		Fe.	21,156			416	101	33	10	9	2
Lynn, . .	45,867	Ma.	21,752	1·69	777	396	88	19	6	6	11
		Fe.	24,115			381	73	17	8	2	6
Lynnfield, . .	766	Ma.	373	1 31	10	6	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	393			4	–	–	–	–	–
Manchester, .	1,639	Ma.	824	2·20	36	20	5	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	815			16	–	1	1	–	–
Marblehead, .	7,517	Ma.	3,605	1·81	136	63	13	–	2	–	–
		Fe.	3,912			73	11	3	–	–	–
Merrimac, .	2,378	Ma.	1,187	1·09	26	15	4	1	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,191			11	4	–	–	–	–
Methuen, . .	4,507	Ma.	2,101	1·58	71	37	8	1	5	1	1
		Fe.	2,406			34	4	–	1	–	–
Middleton, .	899	Ma.	457	1·45	13	7	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	442			6	–	–	–	–	–
Nahant, . .	637	Ma.	318	2·35	15	6	–	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	319			9	1	1	–	–	–
Newbury, . .	1,590	Ma.	829	1 26	20	10	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	761			10	1	–	–	–	–
Newburyport, .	13,716	Ma.	6,162	1 79	246	110	15	6	5	1	1
		Fe.	7,554			136	18	2	3	1	1
No. Andover, .	3,425	Ma.	1,710	1·23	42	23	6	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,715			19	2	–	–	–	–

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5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
1	–	1	2	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	3	3	–	1	1	–	1	–	–
1	1	1	2	1	8	7	7	6	7	7	5	4	5	5	3	2	–	–	–
3	–	3	8	7	9	8	4	7	8	1	2	4	3	4	6	2	–	–	2
–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	1	2	3	1	2	–	–	1	–
–	1	1	2	–	1	1	2	1	1	–	–	1	1	1	5	–	1	–	–
–	1	2	2	–	–	–	1	1	1	2	2	–	6	1	2	–	–	1	–
1	–	2	–	2	1	–	–	–	1	2	1	–	2	1	2	1	–	–	–
4	2	8	16	8	9	8	10	10	9	9	3	12	8	9	5	2	1	–	49
7	2	2	12	12	6	7	4	8	8	5	1	4	5	4	5	1	1	3	–
–	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	2	2	–	1	–	–	1
–	3	4	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	2	2	–	–	3	1	1	–	–
–	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	–	–	–
5	6	4	8	13	10	14	4	9	5	8	10	8	7	6	4	4	–	–	–
11	4	9	4	9	5	10	6	4	8	9	5	11	10	8	7	5	2	3	–
–	1	1	2	–	1	1	1	1	2	–	1	4	2	6	4	1	1	–	–
–	1	–	2	1	1	1	–	–	4	4	–	2	5	3	1	1	1	1	1
13	8	11	19	17	10	15	17	15	8	16	7	12	10	8	10	6	1	–	1
11	7	22	22	25	25	19	10	19	14	13	16	18	14	13	6	5	1	–	1
11	9	11	18	20	22	21	16	19	10	22	13	15	22	12	17	5	3	–	–
11	13	12	17	20	20	21	19	22	14	16	20	19	14	15	8	11	1	1	1
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	2	2	–	2	2	1	–	–	–
1	1	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	2	3	1	–	–	1	–
1	2	3	3	2	2	2	4	1	3	3	4	1	9	5	1	2	–	–	–
3	1	–	5	3	1	5	2	1	6	5	5	3	5	3	6	3	1	1	–
–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	–
1	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	4	–	2	–	1	–	1	4	–	4	1	2	1	1	–	–	–
2	1	3	1	7	–	2	–	2	–	3	1	5	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	2	2	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	4	–	1	–	–
3	–	5	5	4	5	1	6	–	8	6	5	7	7	6	10	1	1	2	–
2	2	5	7	4	5	6	6	5	7	5	3	8	6	8	18	7	5	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	1	1	1	2	–	1	–	3	1	2	–	2	–	1	–
–	–	1	–	2	2	1	2	1	–	–	2	1	1	1	2	–	1	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION—1885.			DEATHS.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	SEX.		Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.					
Essex—Con.											
Peabody, . .	9,530	Ma.	4,737	1·65	157	92	20	4	2	–	2
		Fe.	4,793			65	9	1	1	–	1
Rockport, . .	3,888	Ma.	1,999	2 13	83	41	9	3	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,889			42	5	–	2	–	–
Rowley, . .	1,183	Ma.	609	1·78	21	11	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	574			10	1	–	1	–	–
Salem, . .	28,090	Ma.	12,775	2·06	578	273	41	11	5	5	1
		Fe.	15,315			305	43	9	7	4	7
Salisbury, . .	4,840	Ma.	2,380	1·63	79	37	6	2	1	1	1
		Fe.	2,460			42	4	6	–	2	–
Saugus, . .	2,855	Ma.	1,394	1·44	41	18	1	–	4	–	1
		Fe.	1,461			23	1	2	1	1	–
Swampscott, .	2,471	Ma.	1,158	1·30	32	15	2	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,313			17	–	1	–	–	–
Topsfield, . .	1,141	Ma.	575	1·49	17	11	–	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	566			6	–	–	–	–	–
Wenham, . .	871	Ma.	425	2·18	19	12	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	446			7	–	–	–	–	–
West Newbury,	1,899	Ma.	962	2·11	40	20	4	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	937			20	2	–	–	1	–
FRANKLIN Co.	37,449	To.	37,449	1·58	593	593	69	20	11	5	11
		Ma.	18,761			286	48	15	4	5	6
		Fe.	18,688			307	21	5	7	–	5
Ashfield, . .	1,097	Ma.	547	1·37	15	10	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	550			5	–	–	–	–	–
Bernardston, .	930	Ma.	465	1·83	17	5	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	465			12	–	–	–	–	–
Buckland, . .	1,760	Ma.	895	1·42	25	10	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	865			15	1	–	–	–	–
Charlemont, .	958	Ma.	477	1·67	16	8	1	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	481			8	–	–	–	–	–
Colrain, . .	1,605	Ma.	812	1·18	19	10	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	793			9	–	–	–	–	–
Conway, . .	1,573	Ma.	786	1·78	28	13	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	787			15	2	–	–	–	1
Deerfield, . .	3,042	Ma.	1,553	1·84	56	25	4	1	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,489			31	–	1	1	–	–
Erving, . .	873	Ma.	452	1·14	10	6	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	421			4	1	–	–	–	–
Gill, . . .	860	Ma.	482	1 74	15	7	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	378			8	2	–	–	–	–

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5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
3	4	1	2	5	2	5	4	5	3	3	7	5	8	3	1	3	–	–	–
2	–	3	1	–	1	6	4	6	4	5	2	7	2	5	2	3	–	–	–
–	1	–	–	3	1	2	–	3	–	1	3	4	2	3	3	1	–	1	–
1	2	–	1	3	3	1	–	2	1	1	5	3	3	6	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	2	1	–	1	1	2	–	–	–	–
2	–	–	2	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–
11	5	6	9	17	16	8	17	8	14	16	10	14	20	17	14	5	2	1	–
7	8	7	10	22	10	19	11	8	10	15	14	14	27	22	13	13	4	1	–
–	–	2	–	–	–	2	1	2	3	1	1	1	2	4	2	3	1	–	1
1	–	1	3	2	–	2	1	2	2	2	2	3	2	5	1	1	–	–	–
3	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	2	–	1	–	1	2	–	–	–	–
1	1	1	2	1	3	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	2	3	–	1	–	–	–
–	2	–	–	1	2	1	2	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	–
2	1	1	2	1	–	2	–	–	3	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
2	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	2	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–
2	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	3	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	3	4	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	2	–	1	1	3	–	1	2	2	1	–
19	7	20	26	27	24	15	17	22	21	13	30	49	50	52	47	26	4	6	2
8	5	9	9	14	10	7	11	10	8	5	15	20	25	22	21	8	1	–	–
11	2	11	17	13	14	8	6	12	13	8	15	29	25	30	26	18	3	6	2
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	2	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	1	2	–	–	1	1	1	–	1	1	–	2	–	–	–
–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	2	2	1	–	1	1	1	1	–	3	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–
2	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	2	–	2	2	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	2	–	1	2	–	1	–	1	–
–	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	1	2	2	1	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	2	1	2	1	–	–	–	–
2	–	1	1	–	1	1	3	3	–	–	1	1	–	4	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	2	6	1	6	4	2	–	1	1
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.					
Franklin—Con.											
Greenfield,	4,869	Ma.	2,311	1·44	70	33	6	2	2	3	1
		Fe.	2,558			37	4	1	1	-	1
Hawley,	545	Ma.	292	1·47	8	4	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	253			4	1	-	-	-	-
Heath,	568	Ma.	287	1·76	10	1	-	1	-	-	-
		Fe.	281			9	-	-	-	-	-
Leverett,	779	Ma.	398	1·80	14	6	1	-	1	-	-
		Fe.	381			8	-	-	1	-	-
Leyden,	447	Ma.	217	2·91	13	3	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	230			10	-	-	-	-	-
Monroe,	176	Ma.	96	·57	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	80			1	-	1	-	-	-
Montague,	5,629	Ma.	2,809	1·57	89	55	16	5	-	-	2
		Fe.	2,820			34	4	-	2	-	-
New Salem,	832	Ma.	412	2·40	20	9	2	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	420			11	-	1	-	-	-
Northfield,	1,705	Ma.	783	1·52	26	7	-	1	-	-	-
		Fe.	922			19	1	-	-	-	-
Orange,	3,650	Ma.	1,836	1·56	57	28	8	1	-	1	1
		Fe.	1,814			29	2	1	1	-	-
Rowe,	582	Ma.	336	1·20	7	3	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	246			4	-	-	-	-	-
Shelburne,	1,614	Ma.	757	1·36	22	15	-	1	1	-	1
		Fe.	857			7	-	-	1	-	-
Shutesbury,	485	Ma.	244	2·27	11	7	2	1	-	-	-
		Fe.	241			4	-	-	-	-	-
Sunderland,	700	Ma.	372	1·00	7	5	-	1	-	-	-
		Fe.	328			2	-	-	-	-	-
Warwick,	662	Ma.	330	1·96	13	8	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	332			5	-	-	-	-	-
Wendell,	509	Ma.	271	1·77	9	2	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	238			7	1	-	-	-	2
Whately,	999	Ma.	541	1·50	15	6	-	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	458			9	2	-	-	-	1
HAMPDEN CO.	116,764	To.	116,764	1·84	2,151	2,151	521	126	62	33	29
		Ma.	55,922			1,055	303	55	36	20	11
		Fe.	60,842			1,096	218	71	26	13	18
Agawam,	2,357	Ma.	1,155	1·65	39	16	1	1	-	-	-
		Fe.	1,202			23	4	2	-	1	-
Blandford,	954	Ma.	493	1·68	16	10	1	-	-	-	-
		Fe.	461			6	-	1	-	-	-

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
2	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	2	2	-	3	2	1	1	-	-
3	-	-	4	2	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	3	3	3	1	1	1
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	-	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-	2	3	4	2	2	1	-	2	-	2	4	2	4	2	-	-	-	-
2	1	4	1	1	2	2	1	-	1	-	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	-
-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	2	3	3	-	-	1	-
-	1	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	1	-	2	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-
-	1	1	3	1	2	-	1	2	2	1	-	1	-	2	6	1	1	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	1	3	-	-	1	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	-
100	36	86	101	93	76	74	60	85	86	81	82	93	75	82	81	56	16	8	9
49	17	37	42	38	29	28	25	42	43	40	34	51	44	40	39	19	5	3	5
51	19	49	59	55	47	46	35	43	43	41	48	42	31	42	42	37	11	5	4
1	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	1	2	1	3	-	-	-	-
1	-	2	-	2	3	-	1	1	2	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct to Pop	Persons.	Sex.					
Hampden—Con.											
Brimfield, . .	1,137	Ma.	564	1·23	14	10	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	573			4	–	–	–	–	–
Chester, . .	1,318	Ma.	679	1·59	21	8	–	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	639			13	3	–	1	–	–
Chicopee, . .	11,516	Ma.	5,357	2·42	279	134	36	13	8	2	1
		Fe.	6,159			145	25	11	4	1	–
Granville, . .	1,193	Ma.	634	1·43	17	11	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	559			6	–	1	–	–	–
Hampden, .	868	Ma.	442	1·04	9	6	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	426			3	–	–	–	–	–
Holland, . .	229	Ma.	119	2·18	5	1	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	110			4	–	–	–	–	–
Holyoke, . .	27,895	Ma.	13,218	1·93	538	261	118	12	9	5	5
		Fe.	14,677			277	75	28	8	5	7
Longmeadow, .	1,677	Ma.	881	1·13	19	10	1	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	796			9	1	–	–	–	–
Ludlow, . .	1,649	Ma.	828	1·27	21	8	4	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	821			13	1	–	–	–	–
Monson, . .	3,958	Ma.	1,924	1·89	75	37	3	1	–	–	1
		Fe.	2,034			38	5	2	–	1	–
Montgomery, .	278	Ma.	146	2 88	8	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	132			6	1	–	–	–	–
Palmer, . .	5,923	Ma.	2,820	1·35	80	45	7	3	2	2	2
		Fe	3,103			35	3	1	1	–	1
Russell, . .	847	Ma.	399	1·54	13	7	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	448			6	3	–	1	1	–
Southwick, .	982	Ma.	494	1·53	15	8	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe	488			7	1	–	–	–	–
Springfield, .	37,575	Ma.	17,877	1·86	700	342	94	16	14	9	2
		Fe.	19,698			358	74	16	8	3	9
Tolland, . .	422	Ma.	231	1·66	7	4	–	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	191			3	–	–	–	–	–
Wales, . .	853	Ma.	421	2·11	18	8	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	432			10	1	1	–	–	–
Westfield, . .	8,961	Ma	4,296	1·67	150	79	15	5	2	–	–
		Fe.	4,665			71	8	4	1	1	–
W. Springfield, .	4,448	Ma.	2,100	1·89	84	39	14	2	–	1	–
		Fe.	2,348			45	10	4	2	–	1
Wilbraham, .	1,724	Ma.	844	1·33	23	9	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	880			14	3	–	–	–	–

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	2	-	1	1	-	-
8	3	4	6	3	3	3	2	7	5	5	6	7	3	1	4	3	-	1	-
6	3	8	9	7	5	7	5	6	6	5	7	6	5	5	6	5	2	1	-
2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	2	1	-	-	1	1
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-
10	2	8	11	10	8	3	11	12	7	8	5	7	3	3	2	-	-	-	2
10	2	17	19	12	14	14	11	12	5	7	4	8	3	4	4	5	-	-	3
-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	2	2	-	-	1	-
-	4	3	1	2	1	1	-	1	2	1	-	3	2	3	4	3	-	1	-
-	-	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	2	-	3	2	2	3	1	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	1	-	-
1	1	1	5	-	1	1	-	1	-	3	2	-	5	4	1	1	-	-	2
3	2	2	1	3	3	-	-	1	-	1	-	3	2	2	2	2	1	-	1
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	4	1	1	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	-
22	5	10	12	12	12	13	8	18	17	12	8	15	12	13	9	7	2	-	-
19	7	10	19	21	17	17	12	11	20	16	20	14	10	11	13	10	2	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
3	-	3	4	2	-	2	2	1	7	4	4	6	8	5	4	-	2	-	-
4	2	5	3	4	-	-	2	5	2	3	7	2	4	6	5	2	-	1	-
1	1	3	1	3	-	4	1	2	1	-	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
5	-	2	2	-	-	3	-	2	2	-	2	2	1	3	1	-	2	1	-
-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct to Pop	Persons.	Sex.					
Hampshire Co.	48,472	To.	48,472	1·69	820	820	127	27	16	8	9
		Ma.	22,921			394	74	14	7	2	4
		Fe.	25,551			426	53	13	9	6	5
Amherst,	4,199	Ma.	2,076	1·45	61	28	3	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	2,123			33	–	–	2	–	–
Belchertown,	2,307	Ma.	1,160	1·91	44	21	2	–	1	–	1
		Fe.	1,147			23	3	–	–	1	–
Chesterfield,	698	Ma.	361	2·86	20	11	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	337			9	2	1	–	–	–
Cummington,	805	Ma.	397	2·11	17	8	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	408			9	1	–	–	–	–
Easthampton,	4,291	Ma.	1,902	1·61	69	34	10	1	1	–	–
		Fe.	2,389			35	3	1	–	–	1
Enfield,	1,010	Ma.	507	1·78	18	9	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	503			9	2	–	1	–	–
Goshen,	336	Ma.	177	·89	3	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	159			1	–	–	–	–	–
Granby,	729	Ma.	360	1·65	12	6	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	369			6	1	–	–	–	–
Greenwich,	532	Ma.	266	·75	4	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	266			2	–	1	–	–	–
Hadley,	1,747	Ma.	906	2·46	43	18	3	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	841			25	3	1	–	1	–
Hatfield,	1,367	Ma.	704	1·61	22	12	3	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	663			10	3	–	–	–	–
Huntington,	1,267	Ma.	623	1·89	24	10	2	2	–	–	1
		Fe.	644			14	4	–	3	–	–
Middlefield,	513	Ma	250	2·14	11	7	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	263			4	2	–	–	–	–
Northampton,	12,896	Ma.	5,852	1·51	195	94	17	2	–	1	1
		Fe.	7,044			101	11	3	1	4	2
Pelham,	549	Ma.	262	1·64	9	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	287			7	–	–	–	–	–
Plainfield,	453	Ma.	225	1·54	7	4	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	228			3	–	–	–	–	–
Prescott,	448	Ma.	220	2·23	10	5	–	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	228			5	–	–	–	–	–
South Hadley,	3,949	Ma.	1,790	1·66	76	33	9	2	2	–	1
		Fe.	2,159			43	8	1	1	–	1
Southampton,	1,025	Ma.	499	1·92	17	11	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	526			6	–	1	–	–	–
Ware,	6,003	Ma.	2,721	1·60	96	44	14	2	2	–	–
		Fe.	3,282			52	7	4	1	–	1

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
28	16	26	34	29	22	27	32	25	36	38	56	51	51	71	40	32	14	3	2
13	9	11	13	5	6	13	20	10	16	21	28	28	23	33	21	13	6	3	1
15	7	15	21	24	16	14	12	15	20	17	28	23	28	38	19	19	8	–	1
–	1	2	–	–	–	–	1	2	1	1	1	5	2	5	2	1	–	–	–
1	–	1	1	2	1	2	–	3	–	2	1	2	4	5	3	2	–	–	1
2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	2	4	3	1	–	1	–
–	–	–	1	1	–	1	2	–	–	1	2	1	4	3	2	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	2	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	2	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–
1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	–	2	1	2	4	–	3	1	–	–	–	–
3	–	3	–	4	3	1	1	–	4	–	1	2	1	3	–	2	2	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	1	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1	2	2	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	2	2	–	–	1	–	–	1	–
1	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	4	1	–	1	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	1	2	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	2	2	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
2	2	4	2	1	–	3	10	4	1	7	8	5	10	4	6	–	3	–	1
4	2	5	7	6	3	2	2	3	5	4	8	7	4	7	5	6	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	2	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	2	1	1	1	–	–	3	3	–	–	2	2	2	1	–	–	–
2	1	1	3	2	2	2	3	3	1	2	3	1	–	3	2	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	4	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
3	–	1	3	–	3	2	1	1	1	3	4	–	–	2	–	1	–	1	–
1	1	3	3	5	1	2	2	1	4	2	4	4	2	2	1	1	–	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885. Persons.	Sex.		Deaths. Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.	Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
Hampshire-Con.											
Westhampton, .	541	Ma.	280	1·11	6	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	261			3	–	–	–	–	–
Williamsburg, .	2,044	Ma.	998	1·96	40	21	4	1	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,046			19	3	–	–	–	–
Worthington, .	763	Ma.	385	2·10	16	9	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	378			7	–	–	–	–	–
MIDDLESEX Co.	357,311	To.	357,311	1·86	6,642	6,642	1323	390	164	138	102
		Ma.	169,491			3,307	737	201	85	83	56
		Fe.	187,820			3,335	586	189	79	55	46
Acton, . .	1,785	Ma.	898	1·57	28	14	1	3	–	–	–
		Fe.	887			14	2	1	–	–	–
Arlington, . .	4,673	Ma.	2,205	1·93	90	47	6	3	2	1	1
		Fe.	2,468			43	4	4	1	1	1
Ashby, . .	871	Ma.	436	2·30	20	13	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	435			7	–	1	–	–	–
Ashland, . .	2,633	Ma.	1,362	1·52	40	21	4	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,271			19	1	–	–	1	–
Ayer, . .	2,190	Ma.	1,106	1 42	31	15	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,084			16	2	1	1	–	–
Bedford, . .	930	Ma.	459	2·37	22	6	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	471			16	4	–	–	–	–
Belmont, . .	1,639	Ma.	767	1·89	31	15	3	1	–	1	–
		Fe.	872			16	2	–	–	–	–
Billerica, . .	2,161	Ma.	1,051	1·20	26	16	3	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	1,110			10	–	1	–	–	–
Boxborough, .	348	Ma.	173	2·01	7	4	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	175			3	–	–	–	–	–
Burlington, .	604	Ma.	310	2·32	14	9	–	1	–	1	–
		Fe.	294			5	–	–	–	–	–
Cambridge, .	59,658	Ma.	28,609	2·10	1,252	577	142	48	26	21	15
		Fe.	31,049			675	123	53	25	12	9
Carlisle, . .	526	Ma.	278	1·71	9	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	248			6	–	–	–	–	–
Chelmsford, .	2,304	Ma.	1,142	1·61	37	21	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,162			16	1	1	1	–	–
Concord, . .	3,727	Ma	2,013	1·64	61	25	3	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,714			36	6	3	–	–	1
Dracut, . .	1,927	Ma.	1,058	·99	19	10	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	869			9	1	–	1	–	–
Dunstable, .	431	Ma.	217	1·62	7	1	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	214			6	–	–	–	–	1

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
2	–	–	3	–	–	2	1	1	3	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–
1	1	–	3	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	1	2	–	2	2	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	3	–	3	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
267	117	173	316	310	262	246	256	265	252	289	319	344	327	320	238	146	55	18	5
143	58	84	143	133	115	113	115	119	127	150	158	176	172	162	97	54	18	5	3
124	59	89	173	177	147	133	141	146	125	139	161	168	155	158	141	92	37	13	2
–	–	–	1	–	2	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	2	–	–	–
3	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	2	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
2	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	3	3	2	1	4	3	3	1	1	–	1	–
2	2	1	3	2	3	2	–	3	1	2	1	1	4	2	2	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	2	2	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	2	2	–	1	–	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	–	–	–
–	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	–	2	2	–	–	3	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	2	–	2	–	1	–	–	1	2	2	–	–	–	2	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	2	3	1	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	1	4	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	1	1	1	–	1	1	–	1	2	–	1	2	–	2	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	4	1	1	–	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	2	–	–
2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
24	8	11	24	17	23	27	20	15	16	20	25	29	25	17	12	7	4	–	1
29	13	15	32	34	28	26	37	28	24	25	36	35	24	32	15	11	5	3	1
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	1	–	1	2	3	1	3	1	2	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	2	–	2	1	–	1	–	2	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	2	1	1	–	1	1	3	4	–	4	2	1	–	–	–	–
1	–	2	1	1	3	1	2	2	1	2	2	–	2	2	2	1	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	2	2	–	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.					
Middlesex—Con.											
Everett,	5,825	Ma	2,881	1·44	84	41	8	2	–	1	–
		Fe.	2,944			43	16	2	1	1	2
Framingham,	8,275	Ma.	4,010	1 73	143	75	16	1	1	1	–
		Fe.	4,265			68	15	4	–	1	2
Groton,	1,987	Ma.	976	1·51	30	10	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,011			20	–	1	–	–	–
Holliston,	2,926	Ma.	1,384	1·40	41	23	8	1	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,542			18	1	1	–	–	–
Hopkinton,	3,922	Ma.	1,972	1·84	72	35	5	2	–	2	–
		Fe.	1,950			37	6	2	–	1	–
Hudson,	3,968	Ma.	1,938	1·64	65	34	8	2	1	1	–
		Fe.	2,030			31	8	–	–	1	–
Lexington,	2,718	Ma.	1,357	1·40	38	23	–	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,361			15	–	–	–	–	1
Lincoln,	901	Ma.	472	1·00	9	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe	429			7	2	–	–	–	–
Littleton,	1,067	Ma.	537	1·03	11	9	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	530			2	–	–	–	–	–
Lowell,	64,107	Ma.	28,517	2 07	1,329	673	180	54	21	18	14
		Fe.	35,590			656	149	46	21	17	7
Malden,	16,407	Ma.	7,690	1·49	246	125	33	5	2	–	1
		Fe.	8,717			121	23	2	4	1	–
Marlborough,	10,941	Ma.	5,567	1·67	183	101	35	4	–	3	1
		Fe.	5,374			82	21	2	–	1	–
Maynard,	2,703	Ma.	1,342	1·66	45	22	11	2	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,361			23	4	1	–	–	3
Medford,	9,042	Ma.	4,418	1·42	128	61	18	–	2	3	1
		Fe.	4,624			67	14	5	–	–	1
Melrose,	6,101	Ma.	2,834	1·90	116	53	5	4	1	–	2
		Fe.	3,267			63	7	4	4	1	1
Natick,	8,460	Ma.	4,185	1·80	151	70	15	3	4	2	2
		Fe.	4,275			81	11	5	1	1	1
Newton,	19,759	Ma	8,741	1·31	258	122	15	9	2	2	1
		Fe.	11,018			136	19	8	3	–	1
North Reading,	878	Ma.	451	2·62	23	10	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	427			13	3	–	–	1	–
Pepperell,	2,587	Ma.	1,270	2·04	53	27	1	2	1	2	1
		Fe.	1,317			26	4	1	–	1	–
Reading,	3,539	Ma.	1,582	1·55	55	26	6	–	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,957			29	4	–	–	1	–
Sherborn,	1,391	Ma.	561	2·16	30	15	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	830			15	1	–	–	–	–

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
1	2	–	2	2	–	–	2	5	1	2	3	2	–	2	5	1	–	–	–
2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	–	2	–	–	3	1	3	–	1	1	–	–
5	5	3	3	3	3	–	3	3	1	2	3	7	6	4	3	1	–	–	1
1	–	3	1	4	2	1	2	1	5	2	3	4	5	5	4	1	2	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	3	1	1	–	–	1	–	1	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	3	–	4	1	–	3	3	2	–	–	–
1	–	1	–	–	1	2	–	1	1	2	–	1	2	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	2	1	1	–	2	1	1	3	1	1	–	–
–	1	–	3	2	2	2	1	–	5	2	1	2	2	2	1	–	–	–	–
2	1	2	2	2	1	4	1	3	1	3	–	–	1	3	2	–	–	–	–
1	1	1	1	–	1	1	2	4	4	1	–	1	–	2	2	–	–	–	–
7	–	2	1	2	1	1	–	1	–	3	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	–	–
1	1	4	–	1	1	1	–	1	–	1	3	4	–	2	1	1	–	–	–
2	–	–	1	1	1	–	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	2	3	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
32	14	13	37	26	26	21	16	28	24	33	21	22	20	26	11	11	3	1	1
23	9	24	44	36	34	21	24	26	17	24	22	24	26	20	23	15	3	1	–
5	2	2	3	8	6	4	5	3	5	4	4	5	16	8	2	2	–	–	–
4	2	–	5	5	6	4	3	11	3	10	11	4	8	6	4	2	3	–	–
2	1	2	3	4	2	3	1	5	4	6	3	5	4	6	4	1	1	1	–
1	1	3	6	7	7	3	3	3	4	1	–	4	5	3	3	1	3	–	–
–	1	–	2	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	1	4	1	2	1	–	2	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
1	2	2	4	3	3	1	–	1	1	3	3	5	–	5	3	–	–	–	–
–	1	3	5	3	5	–	4	3	6	1	2	3	2	–	4	4	–	1	–
4	3	1	2	3	6	1	1	1	1	1	2	5	1	4	4	–	1	–	–
2	1	–	3	2	5	2	3	3	2	3	1	1	7	3	6	1	–	1	–
4	–	3	3	3	2	1	4	2	3	–	5	1	4	6	1	2	–	–	–
4	1	2	3	4	1	1	6	4	6	2	4	5	3	9	1	5	1	–	–
3	2	5	5	6	5	2	5	5	6	11	7	6	10	9	4	1	1	–	–
8	3	3	3	8	6	9	5	3	3	9	6	6	6	5	7	11	2	2	–
–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	1	1	2	–	–	–
2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	1	–
2	–	2	–	2	–	1	2	1	1	1	–	–	3	4	–	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	2	–	1	1	2	2	3	4	1	1	–	–
1	–	3	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	2	2	–	4	1	2	–	–	–
1	–	2	2	2	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	4	1	4	2	1	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	3	–	1	1	1	3	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	1	2	1	1	1	–	1	1	1	–	1	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct. to Pop.	Persons	Sex					
Middlesex—Con.											
Shirley,	1,242	Ma.	585	1·61	20	12	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	657			8	–	–	–	–	–
Somerville,	29,971	Ma.	14,190	1·83	549	297	59	15	10	12	6
		Fe.	15,781			252	38	9	11	2	6
Stoneham,	5,659	Ma	2,726	1·52	86	45	14	1	–	2	–
		Fe.	2,933			41	2	1	2	2	–
Stow,	976	Ma.	484	1·64	16	8	1	–	–	–	1
		Fe.	492			8	1	–	–	–	1
Sudbury,	1,165	Ma.	583	1 63	19	7	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	582			12	1	–	–	–	–
Tewksbury,	2,333	Ma.	1,037	1·03	24	14	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,296			10	–	–	–	1	–
(*St. Almshouse*),	–	Ma.	–	–	206	120	21	1	1	–	1
		Fe.	–			86	18	3	–	–	–
Townsend,	1,846	Ma.	894	1·95	36	19	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	952			17	1	1	–	–	–
Tyngsborough,	604	Ma.	299	1·49	9	7	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	305			2	–	–	–	–	–
Wakefield,	6,060	Ma.	2,882	1·88	114	53	12	5	–	2	–
		Fe.	3,178			61	8	5	1	1	1
Waltham,	14,609	Ma.	6,708	1·52	222	96	28	8	1	1	1
		Fe.	7,901			126	28	4	–	1	–
Watertown,	6,238	Ma.	3,004	2·16	135	76	16	6	3	2	1
		Fe.	3,234			59	9	5	1	2	2
Wayland,	1,946	Ma.	987	1·34	26	12	2	–	1	–	1
		Fe.	959			14	2	2	1	–	–
Westford,	2,193	Ma.	1,059	1·37	30	13	–	1	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,134			17	3	–	–	–	–
Weston,	1,427	Ma.	744	1·05	15	9	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	683			6	–	–	–	–	–
Wilmington,	991	Ma.	486	1·92	19	8	1	–	–	–	1
		Fe.	505			11	3	1	–	–	–
Winchester,	4,390	Ma.	2.152	1·53	67	34	5	3	1	–	–
		Fe.	2,238			33	5	3	–	1	–
Woburn,	11,750	Ma.	5,902	2·09	245	123	30	9	2	4	4
		Fe.	5,848			122	13	6	–	3	4
NANTUCKET Co.	3,142	To.	3,142	3·37	106	106	8	3	3	2	1
		Ma.	1,340			43	5	2	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,802			63	3	1	3	2	1

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
1	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–
22	4	12	13	17	7	12	16	13	15	12	13	14	7	8	4	3	2	1	–
8	12	6	14	11	12	18	11	13	8	7	17	11	10	9	10	6	3	–	–
5	1	3	2	1	3	2	–	1	–	1	2	–	1	3	3	–	–	–	–
2	1	1	3	4	–	1	3	2	3	1	3	4	1	3	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	4	1	1	–	–
–	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	3	2	–	–	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	2	2	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	10	9	6	10	7	5	9	5	9	7	8	6	3	1	1	–	–
–	–	1	9	3	2	2	7	4	7	4	4	9	6	3	1	1	1	–	1
–	–	–	1	–	–	1	2	1	–	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	–	–	–
1	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	2	–	1	2	–	2	2	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	2	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–
1	–	1	2	3	2	2	1	–	4	2	3	3	3	4	1	2	–	–	–
4	2	1	2	2	1	5	2	2	1	1	5	2	2	6	2	4	1	–	–
4	2	3	6	2	1	3	4	2	1	3	3	6	9	3	2	2	1	–	–
1	2	4	9	12	5	6	7	1	6	4	10	6	6	4	3	3	2	2	–
5	2	1	5	1	–	3	2	1	3	3	6	7	4	2	3	–	–	–	–
2	1	1	2	–	4	1	1	2	3	5	2	5	4	5	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	1	2	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	–	2	3	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	1	1	1	–	2	2	2	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
1	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	–	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
2	–	2	–	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	3	3	2	1	–	1	–	–	–
1	–	2	1	2	1	1	1	–	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	–	–	–
4	–	3	3	7	1	2	5	7	9	4	7	6	10	4	2	–	–	–	–
4	3	3	6	10	6	5	4	6	4	5	6	13	6	3	9	2	–	1	–
5	2	1	2	1	3	1	2	4	3	6	6	5	11	14	13	6	3	–	1
2	1	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	2	3	3	2	3	10	6	1	–	–	–
3	1	1	2	–	2	–	2	4	1	3	3	3	8	4	7	5	3	–	1

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885. Persons.	Sex.		Deaths. Per ct to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.	Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
Norfolk Co.,	102,142	To.	102,142	1·67	1,703	1,703	282	64	28	22	18
		Ma.	49,000			851	171	39	21	14	9
		Fe.	53,142			852	111	25	17	8	9
Bellingham,	1,198	Ma.	594	1·17	14	9	1	2	–	–	–
		Fe.	604			5	1	–	–	–	–
Braintree,	4,040	Ma.	1,943	1·95	79	44	15	2	–	1	–
		Fe.	2,097			35	4	2	–	1	1
Brookline,	9,196	Ma.	3,939	1·49	137	66	14	3	2	3	–
		Fe.	5,257			71	15	–	3	–	2
Canton,	4,380	Ma.	2,093	1·60	70	34	5	1	2	–	–
		Fe.	2,287			36	–	–	–	–	–
Cohasset,	2,216	Ma.	1,058	1·44	32	14	4	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	1,158			18	3	–	1	–	–
Dedham,	6,641	Ma.	3,149	1·54	102	44	14	1	1	1	2
		Fe.	3,492			58	6	2	–	–	–
Dover,	664	Ma.	351	2·41	16	10	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	313			6	1	1	–	–	–
Foxborough,	2,814	Ma.	1,243	1·28	36	10	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,571			26	1	–	1	–	–
Franklin,	3,983	Ma.	1,911	1·43	57	19	5	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	2,072			38	6	1	–	–	1
Holbrook,	2,334	Ma.	1,155	1·11	26	13	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,179			13	–	1	–	–	–
Hyde Park,	8,376	Ma.	4,047	1·46	122	63	18	2	1	–	1
		Fe.	4,329			59	8	1	3	1	2
Medfield,	1,594	Ma.	674	1·69	27	13	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	920			14	–	–	–	1	–
Medway,	2,777	Ma.	1,382	2·20	61	35	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,395			26	6	1	–	–	–
Millis,	683	Ma.	332	1·17	8	4	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	351			4	–	–	–	–	–
Milton,	3,555	Ma.	1,661	1·43	51	25	3	1	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,894			26	5	–	1	–	–
Needham,	2,586	Ma.	1,284	1·74	45	27	7	–	1	1	2
		Fe.	1,302			18	2	1	1	–	–
Norfolk,	825	Ma.	410	1·09	9	6	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	415			3	–	–	–	–	–
Norwood,	2,921	Ma.	1,514	·99	29	12	3	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	1,407			17	3	1	–	1	–
Quincy,	12,145	Ma.	6,192	1·79	218	120	23	11	4	2	–
		Fe.	5,953			98	16	4	1	2	–
Randolph,	3,807	Ma.	1,871	1·89	72	33	3	3	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,936			39	5	1	–	–	–

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
44	34	66	63	85	53	63	66	53	73	89	92	114	103	109	94	54	16	8	-
21	20	29	27	42	21	33	25	28	33	41	41	69	42	54	47	15	6	3	-
23	14	37	36	43	32	30	41	25	40	48	51	45	61	55	47	39	10	5	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	2	1	-	1	2	2	-	1	3	1	3	1	3	3	2	-	1	-
1	-	3	1	2	2	-	1	-	4	2	-	1	1	3	3	2	1	-	-
1	3	2	3	3	2	2	2	1	4	3	1	9	3	1	2	1	1	-	-
2	1	3	-	6	2	5	3	2	2	7	2	4	1	4	4	1	2	-	-
-	-	-	2	4	2	1	2	3	-	-	3	3	2	3	1	-	-	-	-
-	1	3	2	5	1	-	3	-	1	3	1	4	5	2	4	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	-
-	1	3	-	2	1	5	-	-	1	1	2	3	1	2	2	1	-	-	-
1	1	2	6	3	1	2	2	1	3	1	8	1	4	4	4	5	-	1	-
-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	5	-	3	4	1	5	2	-	-	-
1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	3	1	-	2	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	3	1	2	3	2	2	2	3	1	1	3	2	3	1	-	-
-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
2	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
-	2	2	2	5	1	3	2	5	3	1	3	6	2	2	2	-	-	-	-
1	1	2	3	3	2	3	4	3	3	4	2	4	4	-	2	2	-	1	-
2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	3	1	-	1	2	1	-	2	-	-	-
1	2	3	-	5	1	-	-	-	1	3	1	3	4	3	3	-	1	1	-
-	-	1	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	1	4	2	1	1	3	1	1	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-
-	1	1	1	2	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	1	-	-
1	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	-	-
1	1	1	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	1	2	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
-	1	2	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	2	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
1	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	1	5	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
3	-	4	3	4	2	6	4	3	4	5	7	9	7	8	8	3	-	-	-
3	2	6	8	6	3	4	5	2	4	1	11	7	5	4	2	2	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	5	4	3	2	1	1	-	-
-	1	3	-	1	1	-	5	2	2	2	-	1	7	4	1	2	-	1	-

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.					
Norfolk—Con.											
Sharon,	1,328	Ma.	660	3·01	40	20	4	–	2	–	–
		Fe.	668			20	–	1	–	–	–
Stoughton,	5,173	Ma.	2,543	1·86	96	50	12	1	2	3	–
		Fe.	2,630			46	5	4	2	–	1
Walpole,	2,443	Ma.	1,201	1·96	48	23	3	1	1	–	1
		Fe.	1,242			25	3	–	–	–	–
Wellesley,	3,013	Ma.	1,114	1·36	41	14	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,899			27	7	1	1	–	–
Weymouth,	10,740	Ma.	5,349	2·07	222	119	20	7	4	–	2
		Fe.	5,391			103	14	3	3	2	2
Wrentham,	2,710	Ma.	1,330	1·66	45	24	6	2	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,380			21	–	–	–	–	–
PLYMOUTH CO.,	81,680	To.	81,680	1·75	1,433	1,433	197	56	22	19	12
		Ma.	40,553			728	117	27	12	10	6
		Fe.	41,127			705	80	29	10	9	6
Abington,	3,699	Ma.	1,816	1·81	67	40	9	–	–	3	–
		Fe.	1,883			27	6	1	–	–	–
Bridgewater,	3,827	Ma.	1,995	2·51	96	63	2	1	–	1	–
		Fe.	1,832			33	2	3	–	–	1
Brockton,	20,783	Ma.	10,398	1·59	330	172	48	13	5	2	–
		Fe.	10,385			158	30	7	3	2	1
Carver,	1,091	Ma.	572	1·37	15	9	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	519			6	2	–	–	–	–
Duxbury,	1,924	Ma.	887	1·45	28	12	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,037			16	2	1	–	–	–
E. Bridgewater,	2,812	Ma	1,411	1·67	47	18	4	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,401			29	2	3	–	–	–
Halifax,	530	Ma.	257	1·32	7	2	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	273			5	–	–	–	–	–
Hanover,	1,966	Ma.	950	2·19	43	23	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,016			20	1	–	–	–	1
Hanson,	1,227	Ma.	633	2·04	25	11	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	594			14	–	–	–	–	–
Hingham,	4,375	Ma.	2,040	1·78	78	33	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	2,335			45	5	4	–	–	–
Hull,	451	Ma.	240	2·66	12	7	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	211			5	2	–	–	–	–
Kingston,	1,570	Ma.	753	2·10	33	17	2	–	1	–	2
		Fe.	817			16	2	–	1	–	–

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
-	-	-	1	4	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	1	3	2	-	2	1	-	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	-	-
1	-	2	1	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	1	2	2	2	4	-	-	-	-
-	1	2	-	1	-	1	3	2	2	5	4	4	-	3	1	4	-	1	-
-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	2	2	1	5	1	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	1	1	-	2	1	2	3	1	2	1	1	-
-	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	1	3	1	-	1	1	1	-	2	1	2	3	1	-	-	-
8	5	4	7	5	2	5	4	3	6	5	8	3	3	10	6	2	-	-	-
5	2	3	10	7	7	3	4	2	3	9	3	1	11	6	1	1	1	-	-
2	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	-	-	-
1	-	-	1	2	-	1	1	-	1	-	2	1	2	3	6	-	-	-	-
55	24	42	68	54	59	42	56	66	54	59	75	84	97	96	102	63	26	2	3
22	9	16	30	22	28	25	30	37	28	30	40	46	48	53	52	26	10	2	2
33	15	26	38	32	31	17	26	29	26	29	35	38	49	43	50	37	16	-	1
1	-	-	2	3	2	2	2	3	4	2	1	-	1	1	2	1	1	-	-
-	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	-	-	1	2	-	4	1	1	-	1	-	-
2	-	3	-	2	5	4	5	6	6	1	8	4	2	5	4	2	-	-	-
1	-	1	-	1	-	-	3	-	2	-	2	4	3	3	4	3	-	-	-
3	2	4	9	6	11	5	7	10	3	10	5	8	9	4	5	2	-	1	-
9	3	9	10	13	7	4	5	8	6	4	10	6	7	4	8	-	1	-	1
-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	1	1	-	-	1	2	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	1	3	-	3	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	3	2	-	4	1	1	-	-
-	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	2	1	-	4	3	2	1	2	3	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	1	-	2	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	2	3	5	1	-	1	-	-	-
-	1	-	2	1	2	1	-	1	2	2	-	1	3	1	-	1	-	-	-
1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	-	-	-
3	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	-
4	1	-	1	2	2	1	2	2	-	-	3	1	2	6	2	1	-	-	-
1	-	2	4	2	4	-	-	2	-	1	4	1	1	6	5	2	1	-	-
-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	4	2	1	1	1	-	-
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	3	3	1	1	-	-	-

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.					
Plymouth—Con.											
Lakeville,	980	Ma.	485	2·14	21	11	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	495			10	1	–	1	–	–
Marion,	965	Ma.	449	1·97	19	8	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	516			11	2	–	1	–	–
Marshfield,	1,649	Ma.	825	1·64	27	17	–	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	824			10	–	–	–	–	–
Mattapoisett,	1,215	Ma.	554	2·22	27	11	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	661			16	–	–	–	–	–
Middleborough,	5,163	Ma.	2,452	1·82	94	42	4	2	–	–	–
		Fe.	2,711			52	3	1	–	2	–
Pembroke,	1,313	Ma.	663	1·60	21	8	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	650			13	1	–	–	–	–
Plymouth,	7,239	Ma.	3,556	1·73	125	58	8	3	2	1	1
		Fe.	3,683			67	8	3	1	–	–
Plympton,	600	Ma.	290	1·50	9	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	310			6	–	–	–	–	–
Rochester,	1,021	Ma.	509	1·37	14	10	2	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	512			4	–	–	–	–	–
Rockland,	4,785	Ma.	2,418	1·63	78	38	9	2	–	2	–
		Fe.	2,367			40	4	1	2	1	2
Scituate,	2,350	Ma.	1,176	2·04	48	22	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe	1,174			26	3	–	–	1	1
So. Abington,	3,595	Ma.	1,824	1 39	50	24	4	2	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,771			26	1	3	–	–	–
So. Scituate,	1,589	Ma.	800	2·39	38	25	3	1	1	–	2
		Fe.	789			13	1	1	1	–	–
Wareham,	3,254	Ma.	1,732	1·78	58	31	8	2	2	–	–
		Fe.	1,522			27	1	1	–	2	–
W. Bridgewater,	1,707	Ma	868	1·35	23	13	3	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	839			10	1	–	–	1	–
SUFFOLK CO.,	421,109	To	421,109	2·42	10,204	10204	2323	679	331	205	155
		Ma.	200,808			5,104	1287	357	174	99	83
		Fe.	220,301			5,100	1036	322	157	106	72
Boston,	390,393	Ma.	186,182	2 46	9,608	4,810	1210	344	166	92	77
		Fe.	204,211			4,798	972	315	149	101	66
Chelsea,	25,709	Ma.	12,139	2·01	516	253	62	11	6	6	5
		Fe.	13,570			263	52	7	6	5	3
Revere,	3,637	Ma.	1,833	1·32	48	23	5	1	1	–	1
		Fe.	1,804			25	5	–	1	–	2
Winthrop,	1,370	Ma.	654	2·34	32	18	10	1	1	1	–
		Fe.	716			14	7	–	1	–	1

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
-	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	-
-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-
-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	2	1	1	4	1	1	-	1
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	1
-	-	-	1	-	2	1	1	-	-	1	1	3	-	1	2	2	1	-	-
1	1	-	3	3	-	3	2	-	2	1	1	5	4	6	3	-	1	-	-
3	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	3	4	3	2	4	3	3	3	4	4	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	3	-	1	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	2	1	1	3	2	2	5	3	6	5	5	5	2	-	-
3	1	2	3	3	2	1	2	4	-	3	4	4	7	2	8	6	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
3	-	2	2	2	-	2	1	1	2	2	2	-	-	3	1	1	-	1	-
-	1	1	4	2	2	2	1	2	-	1	1	2	2	3	2	2	2	-	-
-	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	1	-	2	3	2	1	3	3	-	1	-	-
-	1	-	1	-	3	1	2	1	-	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	-	-	-
2	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	1	2	-	4	2	-	-	-	-
4	1	1	1	-	-	1	2	1	1	1	-	-	3	2	3	1	-	-	-
1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	-	1	3	1	1	4	2	-	-	-
2	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
3	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	2	2	1	3	2	1	1	-	-
5	1	-	3	-	2	-	3	2	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	2	1	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	2	-	-	-
-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
381	162	269	462	530	506	490	459	408	446	403	428	456	380	292	239	126	46	14	14
178	76	128	221	250	229	256	240	218	230	187	223	222	173	121	88	43	10	7	4
203	86	141	241	280	277	234	219	190	216	216	205	234	207	171	151	83	36	7	10
159	71	122	213	242	218	237	227	202	221	165	214	210	165	111	83	41	10	7	3
185	85	136	227	257	258	223	209	175	206	203	192	219	199	157	138	77	34	6	9
18	4	5	7	5	10	17	12	16	9	19	8	11	8	8	4	2	-	-	-
15	1	5	13	21	18	10	9	14	9	9	12	14	7	13	11	5	2	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
3	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	1	1	3	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885. Persons.	Sex.		Deaths. Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.	Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
Worcester Co	244,039	To.	244,039	1·81	4,416	4,416	818	265	133	74	59
		Ma.	119,605			2,158	425	133	70	47	32
		Fe.	124,434			2,258	393	132	63	27	27
Ashburnham,	2,058	Ma.	1,001	1·46	30	19	1	1	1	1	–
		Fe.	1,057			11	1	–	–	–	–
Athol,	4,758	Ma.	2,271	1·11	53	27	4	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	2,487			26	4	1	–	–	–
Auburn,	1,268	Ma.	621	1·58	20	5	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	647			15	2	1	1	–	–
Barre,	2,093	Ma.	1,002	1·91	40	19	1	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,091			21	2	–	–	–	–
Berlin,	899	Ma.	439	1·56	14	5	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	460			9	–	–	–	–	–
Blackstone,	5,436	Ma.	2,743	1·31	71	39	2	2	1	–	4
		Fe.	2,693			32	4	2	2	–	–
Bolton,	876	Ma	423	1 94	17	8	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	453			9	–	–	1	–	–
Boylston,	834	Ma.	413	1·32	11	4	–	–	–	1	–
		Fe.	421			7	–	–	–	–	–
Brookfield,	3,013	Ma.	1,481	1·43	43	26	2	1	1	1	1
		Fe.	1,532			17	1	1	–	–	–
Charlton,	1,823	Ma.	937	1·97	36	18	2	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	886			18	2	–	–	–	–
Clinton,	8,945	Ma.	4,022	1·87	166	87	20	5	4	1	2
		Fe.	4,923			79	17	11	2	2	–
Dana,	695	Ma.	341	2·01	14	7	–	2	–	–	–
		Fe.	354			7	–	2	–	–	–
Douglas,	2,205	Ma.	1,119	2·04	45	18	7	2	2	–	–
		Fe.	1,086			27	9	2	–	–	1
Dudley,	2,742	Ma.	1,341	1·68	46	26	10	3	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,401			20	3	–	1	1	–
Fitchburg,	15,375	Ma.	7,502	1·83	281	131	40	7	3	2	1
		Fe.	7,873			150	27	6	1	1	3
Gardner,	7,283	Ma.	3,752	1·70	124	54	13	4	3	–	–
		Fe.	3,531			70	17	11	3	–	–
Grafton,	4,498	Ma.	2,194	1·82	82	37	8	2	–	–	–
		Fe.	2,304			45	10	1	1	–	–
Hardwick,	3,145	Ma.	1,652	1·14	36	17	6	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	1,493			19	4	1	–	–	–
Harvard,	1,184	Ma.	564	1·86	22	12	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	620			10	–	–	–	–	–
Holden,	2,471	Ma.	1,232	1·34	33	18	–	–	1	2	1
		Fe.	1,239			15	1	1	–	1	–

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
145	71	167	218	207	159	155	139	143	160	181	206	219	246	265	195	108	44	12	27
65	32	69	90	95	67	73	72	67	76	102	98	122	129	133	87	42	14	1	17
80	39	98	128	112	92	82	67	76	84	79	108	97	117	132	108	66	30	11	10
2	–	2	–	2	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	2	1	–	1	–
–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	1	2	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	2	1	2	1	1	–	2	3	1	1	2	4	1	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	1	4	–	–	1	1	–	2	1	1	2	3	2	2	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	1	1	2	2	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	3	2	2	5	–	–	3	–	–
–	–	–	2	1	1	–	2	2	–	2	1	2	–	2	–	3	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	2	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	1	5	1	3	3	2	–	1	2	2	1	2	3	2	–	–	–	–	2
2	1	1	2	1	4	1	2	–	2	–	2	–	1	1	1	–	1	–	2
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	2	1	–		–
1	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	2	3	–	–	–	–	2	1	2	2	2	2	5	–	1	–	–
–	1	1	1	1	–	1	–	–	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	1	2	–	1	1	2	–	2	1	1	2	2	–	–	1
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	4	2	1	2	1	2	–
6	4	3	5	7	5	3	1	2	3	–	3	1	3	3	1	–	1	–	4
–	2	3	3	7	3	1	2	2	2	2	1	5	6	1	3	2	–	–	2
–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	3	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	2	3	–	–	–	4	–	3	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	3	2	–	–	–	1	–	2	2	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	4	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	1	1	1	1	3	–	–	–	–
5	3	4	5	6	6	2	3	1	7	2	8	12	8	3	3	–	–	–	–
7	1	11	11	4	4	5	7	2	6	9	8	5	10	12	7	1	1	–	1
2	1	2	1	1	1	–	2	1	2	3	2	4	5	4	2	–	1	–	–
1	2	3	4	2	5	1	1	–	1	2	2	3	4	–	4	2	1	1	–
2	1	–	–	–	4	1	1	2	4	–	2	3	1	1	3	1	–	–	1
1	2	2	–	2	2	–	3	1	2	–	1	3	4	4	2	2	1	1	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	2	–	1	1	–	–
2	–	1	1	–	1	–	1	–	2	1	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	1	1
–	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	3	–	–	4	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	–	2	–	–	1	–	–
–	–	2	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	3	2	2	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	2	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	3	–	1	1	1	–	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885. Persons.	Sex.		Deaths. Per ct to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.	Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
Worcester—Con											
Hubbardston,	1,303	Ma.	662	1·53	20	8	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	641			12	1	–	–	–	–
Lancaster,	2,050	Ma.	928	2·08	43	25	2	1	1	1	–
		Fe.	1,122			18	3	1	–	–	–
Leicester,	2,923	Ma.	1.378	2·26	66	33	8	–	2	–	2
		Fe.	1,545			33	5	2	1	–	–
Leominster,	5,297	Ma.	2,569	2·10	111	57	11	1	1	1	1
		Fe.	2,728			54	5	–	–	–	–
Lunenburg,	1,071	Ma.	553	1·96	21	12	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	518			9	3	–	–	–	–
Mendon,	945	Ma.	466	2·54	24	8	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	479			16	1	–	1	–	–
Milford,	9,343	Ma.	4,556	2·18	204	103	11	6	6	4	3
		Fe.	4,787			101	11	7	2	1	1
Millbury,	4,555	Ma.	2,170	2·19	100	43	10	3	3	1	–
		Fe.	2,385			57	8	2	1	2	1
New Braintree,	558	Ma.	296	·36	2	1	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	262			1	–	–	–	–	–
Northborough,	1,853	Ma.	942	1 13	21	8	–	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	911			13	3	–	1	–	–
Northbridge,	3,786	Ma.	1,890	1·80	68	32	6	2	1	2	–
		Fe.	1,896			36	2	–	3	1	–
No. Brookfield,	4,201	Ma.	2,098	1·62	68	31	4	4	1	1	–
		Fe	2,103			37	11	3	1	–	–
Oakham,	749	Ma.	384	2·94	22	13	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	365			9	–	–	–	–	–
Oxford,	2,355	Ma	1,130	2·34	55	18	4	–	1	1	–
		Fe.	1,225			37	5	1	1	–	–
Paxton,	561	Ma.	304	2·49	14	8	1	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	257			6	1	1	–	–	–
Petersham,	1,032	Ma.	515	2·32	24	8	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	517			16	1	–	–	–	1
Phillipston,	530	Ma.	270	1·32	7	5	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	260			2	–	–	–	–	–
Princeton,	1,038	Ma.	523	1·25	13	3	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	515			10	–	1	–	–	–
Royalston,	1,153	Ma.	568	1·47	17	8	–	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	585			9	1	–	–	–	–
Rutland,	963	Ma.	516	2 28	22	10	1	–	–	–	–
		Fe.	447			12	1	1	–	–	–
Shrewsbury,	1,450	Ma.	728	1·40	20	7	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	722			13	2	–	–	–	–

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
–	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	–	1	–	–	–
1	–	1	2	3	–	1	1	1	–	1	–	3	3	1	1	–	–	–	1
–	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	–	–	–
2	1	–	2	–	1	2	1	2	–	–	–	2	2	4	1	1	–	–	–
1	1	–	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	3	4	–	3	1	6	2	1	–	–
2	–	3	2	1	3	–	3	–	1	3	4	3	4	7	3	2	–	–	1
4	–	3	2	6	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	2	2	5	10	2	2	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	2	3	2	–	–		–
–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	1	–	–
1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	1	1	3	1	3	–	–
8	3	1	2	6	4	4	2	3	4	5	5	5	8	5	5	2	1	–	–
10	3	9	4	7	5	5	2	5	1	2	5	5	6	5	3	1	1	–	–
–	–	2	2	–	–	–	1	3	2	2	4	–	4	3	–	3	–	–	–
2	1	4	4	–	2	5	1	1	–	2	2	5	4	5	–	3	2	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	1	–	2	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	1	1	2	–	–	–
1	–	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	–	1	2	3	1	4	–	–	–	–	–
2	1	3	–	3	4	1	–	5	2	–	2	1	1	2	1	1	–	1	–
–	–	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	–	4	–	–	2	3	–	1	–	–	–
3	1	3	4	1	1	1	–	–	1	1	2	–		2	–	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–		–	2	2	1	2	2	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	1	2	1	–	1	–	1	–	–
–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	1	2	2	–	–	–
2	1	3	1	2	2	1	–	–	1	4	2	1	1	3	2	2	2	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	–	1	–	–	1	–	–
–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–
–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	5	2	2	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	2	1	–	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	3	–	1	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	2	2	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	3	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	1	2	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
–	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	1	1	–	2	–	–

TABLE VII. — Continued.

Counties and Towns.	Population — 1885.			Deaths.			Und. 1	1 to 2	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
	Persons.	Sex.		Per ct. to Pop.	Persons.	Sex.					
Worcester—Con.											
Southborough,	2,100	Ma.	1,061	1·38	29	16	4	–	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,039			13	4	1	–	–	–
Southbridge,	6,500	Ma.	3,129	1·85	120	54	14	5	2	1	1
		Fe.	3,371			66	15	7	–	–	1
Spencer,	8,247	Ma.	4,190	1·77	146	60	16	7	1	4	–
		Fe.	4,057			86	14	10	9	4	1
Sterling,	1,331	Ma.	641	1·50	20	12	1	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	690			8	–	–	–	–	–
Sturbridge,	1,980	Ma.	957	2·12	42	16	5	1	–	1	–
		Fe.	1,023			26	6	2	1	–	1
Sutton,	3,101	Ma.	1,552	1·68	52	23	3	1	2	–	–
		Fe.	1,549			29	8	5	1	–	–
Templeton,	2,627	Ma.	1,302	1·83	48	23	3	4	–	–	1
		Fe.	1,325			25	9	1	1	–	–
Upton,	2,265	Ma.	923	1·77	40	18	1	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,342			22	2	1	–	–	–
Uxbridge,	2,948	Ma.	1,409	1·80	53	32	1	2	1	–	1
		Fe.	1,539			21	4	–	–	1	–
Warren,	4,032	Ma.	1,992	1·21	49	28	4	1	–	1	–
		Fe.	2,040			21	3	2	–	1	–
Webster,	6,220	Ma.	3,031	1·93	120	61	15	3	3	4	1
		Fe.	3,189			59	11	3	3	–	–
Westborough,	4,880	Ma.	2,299	1·33	65	23	3	3	–	–	1
		Fe.	2,581			42	4	2	1	–	3
West Boylston,	2,927	Ma.	1,419	1·54	45	18	3	2	–	1	–
		Fe.	1,508			27	6	–	–	1	–
W. Brookfield,	1,747	Ma.	825	1·43	25	12	–	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	922			13	–	1	2	–	1
Westminster,	1,556	Ma	757	2·76	43	27	2	1	–	–	–
		Fe.	799			16	1	–	–	–	–
Winchendon,	3,872	Ma.	1,940	1·70	66	32	8	–	1	–	–
		Fe.	1,932			34	2	3	1	–	–
Worcester,	68,389	Ma.	33,682	1·94	1,327	685	160	50	23	16	11
		Fe.	34,707			642	136	35	21	11	13

Age and Sex, by Towns.

5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	75 to 80	80 to 85	85 to 90	90 to 95	95 & over.	Unknown.
–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	3	2	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	2	1	–	–	–	–
1	2	3	2	5	–	–	–	2	–	1	2	1	6	2	3	1	–	–	–
2	–	4	4	2	5	1	1	3	1	5	2	1	2	5	2	1	1	1	–
1	1	–	3	2	2	2	4	2	1	4	2	5	–	2	1	–	–	–	–
4	4	3	8	–	3	3	2	3	2	–	3	4	1	3	4	–	1	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	1	2	2	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	–	2	1	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	2	–	2	–	–	1	3	4	1	1	–	–
–	–	1	–	1	–	–	2	–	4	–	–	2	2	3	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	3	3	–	1	–	–
1	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	3	1	6	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	2	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	2	–	2	–	–	–
–	–	1	1	–	–	1	2	–	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	–	–	–
–	1	2	2	–	–	–	–	3	2	–	–	1	2	4	–	1	–	1	–
2	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	3	–	2	3	2	–	3	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	4	–	–	1	–	1	1	2	–	3	1	1	–	1	–	–	–
–	1	4	2	2	–	–	–	–	1	3	1	–	1	3	1	3	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	2	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	3	3	1	–	1	–
3	2	3	3	1	–	–	2	2	2	–	1	5	–	7	2	2	–	–	–
5	–	–	5	2	5	–	7	–	4	1	3	5	–	1	1	2	1	–	–
–	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	1	1	2	1	1	4	1	2	–	–	–	–
1	–	2	5	3	2	–	3	1	–	2	1	1	6	4	1	–	–	–	–
1	–	1	–	3	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	3	1	–	–	–
2	–	2	1	1	–	1	1	4	3	–	1	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	–
–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	2	2	3	1	–	–	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–
1	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	4	4	–	–	–
–	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	4	2	2	1	1	–	–
1	–	–	1	1	4	2	–	1	1	3	–	1	2	4	1	–	1	–	–
–	–	4	2	1	1	5	1	2	3	1	1	3	–	2	1	–	–	1	–
20	9	18	37	30	18	35	34	31	31	34	28	31	22	19	11	8	2	–	7
22	13	18	33	35	29	39	20	28	31	21	31	22	26	19	17	12	1	1	4

TABLE VIII. — CAUSES OF DEATH. — Alphabetical Arrangement.

Distinguishing by Months, by Age, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Deaths from various specified Causes (alphabetically arranged), during the Year

1885.

Sex.	Deaths. Sex. Males.	Deaths. Sex. Fem.	Deaths. Sex. Unk.	Deaths. Totals.	Months. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	Ages. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Persons, .	.	.	.	38,094	3296	3195	3597	3664	3119	2692	3785	3780	3005	2628	2531	2802	–	11956	1358	667	1190	3492	3062	2889	3090	3678	3750	2829	133
Males, .	18,889	.	.	.	1615	1555	1797	1758	1480	1323	1964	1924	1549	1272	1259	1393	–	6517	652	317	525	1579	1406	1430	1526	1872	1828	1147	90
Females, .	.	19,205	.	.	1681	1640	1800	1906	1639	1369	1821	1856	1456	1356	1272	1409	–	5439	706	350	665	1913	1656	1459	1564	1806	1922	1682	43
Unknown, .	.	.	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE VIII. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Fem.	.	13	.	13	1	–	–	3	–	–	–	3	2	3	–	1	–	Abortion, . .	–	–	–	1	6	5	1	–	–	–	–	–
Males	36	.	.	83	2	1	6	4	3	2	4	4	4	2	2	2	–	Abscess, . .	17	1	1	3	4	1	3	1	5	–	–	–
Fem.	.	47	.	.	2	–	8	2	8	3	6	5	2	4	2	5	–	" . .	13	3	1	4	8	6	1	4	3	4	–	–
Males	11	.	.	13	2	1	–	1	–	–	3	1	–	1	1	1	–	Abscess, Lumbar,	2	–	2	1	4	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–		–	" "	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	2	.	.	2	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Amputation, .	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
Males	70	.	.	168	5	6	4	13	7	8	3	4	10	5	1	4	–	Anæmia, . .	16	1	1	3	3	3	4	8	19	10	2	–
Fem.	.	98	.	.	10	8	10	6	13	9	5	8	4	5	6	14	–	" . .	13	5	4	5	13	9	11	15	12	7	4	–
Males	20	.	.	35	1	1	3	3	1	2	2	2	2	–	1	2	–	Aneurism, . .	–	1	1	–	2	1	6	3	4	2	–	–
Fem.	.	15	.	.	3	1	3	1	–	2	–	1	1	3	–	–	–	" . .	–	1	–	–	–	2	4	3	4	–	1	–
Males	39	.	.	71	4	4	1	1	4	5	3	3	2	3	4	5	–	Angina Pectoris,	–	–	–	–	–	1	8	3	11	12	4	–
Fem.	.	32	.	.	1	2	6	1	4	1	2	4	2	2	3	4	–	" "	–	–	–	1	1	2	4	3	12	5	4	–
Males	494	.	.	1003	38	42	45	51	34	41	42	33	49	37	40	42	–	Apoplexy, . .	3	1	–	5	11	26	39	78	132	130	65	4
Fem.	.	509	.	.	51	41	36	48	48	45	45	40	31	35	38	51	–	" . .	2	1	2	–	11	28	54	87	114	116	92	2

TABLE VIII. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Males	2	.	.	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	Arthritis, . .	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	5	.	.	–	3	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	" . .	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	4	1	–	–
Males	13	.	.	29	–	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	–	1	1	–	–	Ascites, . .	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	4	5	1	1	–
Fem.	.	16	.	.	1	–	–	1	1	3	2	–	4	3	1	–	–	" . .	–	–	–	–	–	1	5	4	1	3	2	–
Males	30	.	.	71	4	3	4	4	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	–	–	Asthma, . .	1	–	–	–	2	1	4	7	8	6	–	–
Fem.	.	41	.	.	5	4	5	6	2	4	4	4	2	1	1	3	–	" . .	3	1	–	1	2	4	4	3	7	14	2	–
Males	30	.	.	86	1	1	–	1	4	2	6	3	3	4	3	2	–	Bowels, Dis. of, .	8	1	3	–	1	2	3	2	5	4	1	–
Fem.	.	56	.	.	3	2	4	5	3	7	5	5	4	5	6	7	–	" "	8	–	–	1	3	4	9	10	11	8	2	–
Males	146	.	.	280	12	10	19	10	12	13	12	7	15	13	12	11	–	Brain, Disease of,	50	3	5	4	13	8	13	12	16	18	4	–
Fem	.	134	.	.	9	7	11	15	10	3	17	20	13	11	9	9	–	" "	37	12	2	3	4	11	13	17	18	13	4	–
Males	73	.	.	126	6	3	7	7	2	5	9	9	7	4	7	7	–	Brain, Softening,	–	–	–	–	–	1	7	11	26	13	15	–
Fem.	.	53	.	.	3	6	7	5	4	4	1	8	2	4	3	6	–	" "	–	–	–	–	2	–	5	8	14	13	11	–
Males	545	.	.	1131	65	68	80	71	53	34	23	16	31	25	32	44	–	Bronchitis, . .	355	14	1	1	7	11	14	32	40	48	24	–
Fem.	.	586	.	.	71	64	95	90	43	30	26	14	32	37	29	49	–	" . .	300	10	3	2	12	12	13	24	52	75	73	4
Males	51	.	.	110	6	4	3	6	3	2	3	3	6	6	2	7	–	Burns and Scalds,	31	2	1	–	3	3	3	1	2	1	2	1
Fem.	.	59	.	.	8	4	6	5	3	3	5	6	6	6	3	4	–	" "	13	7	2	4	12	2	4	3	7	3	2	–

Males	184	.	.	690	14	11	20	9	12	17	11	20	26	20	14	10	-	Cancer, . .	2	-	1	2	5	10	22	31	46	46	19	-
Fem.	.	506	.	.	50	48	36	36	28	50	37	44	38	36	55	48	-	" . .	2	-	-	1	9	37	102	133	115	83	23	1
Males	21	.	.	49	2	2	-	4	5	-	4	1	2	-	1	-	-	Cancer of Bowels	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	3	6	7	-	-
Fem.	.	28	.	.	3	1	2	1	1	-	5	3	2	2	4	4	-	" "	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	11	9	4	1	-
Males	30	.	.	86	1	3	3	1	4	1	1	4	4	5	-	3	-	Cancer of Liver, .	-	-	-	1	-	1	8	7	7	5	1	-
Fem.	.	56	.	.	5	5	3	3	6	4	9	5	2	7	6	1	-	" "	-	-	-	-	1	4	8	16	15	9	3	-
Males	87	.	.	145	8	2	1	7	7	5	16	7	14	9	7	4	-	Cancer of Stom.,	-	-	-	-	2	4	10	27	28	14	2	-
Fem.	.	58	.	.	5	3	5	4	6	9	6	5	3	5	3	4	-	" "	1	-	-	-	2	2	6	24	18	4	1	-
Fem.	.	100	.	100	13	5	6	11	13	6	8	11	5	6	8	8	-	Cancer of Uterus,	-	-	1	-	2	25	29	18	13	11	-	1
Males	11	.	.	16	3	-	2	1	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	Carbuncle, . .	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	4	3	1	1	-
Fem.	.	5	.	.	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-
Males	8	.	.	14	-	1	1	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	Caries of Bone, .	1	1	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	6	.	.	1	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " .	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	1	-	-
Males	301	.	.	377	29	12	19	20	21	16	29	37	23	39	29	27	-	Casualty, . .	21	18	17	14	33	55	39	38	37	15	11	3
Fem.	.	76	.	.	4	7	6	5	4	8	10	16	9	7	4	2	-	" . .	12	6	2	-	1	3	6	13	11	13	8	1
Males	7	.	.	16	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	Cellulitis, . .	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	1	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	9	.	.	-	2	1	1	-	-	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	5	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
Males	638	.	.	1165	53	42	51	59	51	58	81	68	56	36	41	36	-	Cephalitis, . .	430	49	17	17	35	27	18	15	19	8	3	-
Fem.	.	527	.	.	46	47	51	59	51	46	52	37	42	28	30	38	-	" . .	357	47	12	11	18	14	14	18	15	17	4	-
Males	74	.	.	140	5	4	9	2	11	8	8	7	3	5	5	7	-	Cer.Sp.Meningitis.	45	11	3	3	2	3	1	1	1	2	1	1
Fem.	.	66	.	.	6	6	9	6	8	5	8	3	5	3	1	6	-	" "	30	12	3	2	8	1	1	3	3	3	-	-

TABLE VIII. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Fem.	.	133	.	133	15	10	14	12	20	7	13	13	9	6	8	6	-	Childbirth, . .	-	-	-	8	62	48	15	-	-	-	-	-
Males	3	.	.	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	Chloral, . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	32	.	.	86	-	1	-	-	3	1	6	12	8	1	-	-	-	Cholera, . .	-	1	1	-	4	4	7	4	3	5	3	-
Fem.	.	54	.	.	-	-	-	1	2	3	17	24	6	-	1	-	-	" . .	-	6	2	-	2	3	6	8	11	10	5	1
Males	991	.	.	1852	5	2	9	8	4	19	426	382	107	20	5	4	-	Cholera Infantum,	991	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	861	.	.	4	3	4	4	8	27	343	318	105	32	9	4	-	" "	861	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	4	.	.	11	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	Chorea, . .	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Fem.	.	7	.	.	-	3	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	" . .	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-
Males	2655	.	.	5955	229	222	269	260	216	196	211	221	217	187	214	213	-	Consumption, .	143	15	29	201	755	530	387	271	191	110	22	1
Fem	.	3300	.	.	269	275	311	310	306	259	265	284	255	256	254	256	-	" .	117	45	83	372	108	660	407	240	182	117	45	6
Males	372		.	712	36	35	34	38	41	28	32	44	19	17	22	26	-	Convulsions, .	348	13	-	1	-	-	1	3	4	1	-	1
Fem.	.	340	.	.	33	27	37	35	22	37	29	28	23	26	14	29	-	" .	306	11	2	1	5	8	6	7	-	-	-	-
Males	277	.	.	520	38	24	26	20	21	19	11	10	21	21	30	33	-	Croup, . .	241	34	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	243	.	.	28	36	16	27	19	15	8	8	9	12	34	31	-	" . .	207	32	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Males	68	.	.	119	4	6	6	5	6	7	7	5	6	3	8	5	-	Cyanosis, . .	67	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	51	.	.	4	4	7	6	2	4	4	6	2	4	4	4	-	" . .	50	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Males	92	.	.	105	8	13	8	9	7	4	11	9	4	10	2	7	-	Cystitis, . .	-	-	1	2	-	2	4	4	27	30	22	-
Fem.	.	13	.	.	2	3	-	-	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	" . .	1	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	4	2	-
Males	400	.	.	753	31	32	31	30	38	30	44	48	29	29	29	26	-	Debility, . .	356	-	2	-	2	10	8	19	2	-	-	1
Fem.	.	353	.	.	23	32	36	25	25	33	40	30	27	30	22	30	-	" . .	276	3	1	2	17	10	15	24	3	-	-	2
Males	31	.	.	32	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	3	4	3	1	-	Delirium Trem.,	-	-	-	-	4	13	6	3	4	-	1	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Males	57	.	.	116	3	4	3	5	6	3	4	6	2	5	4	12	-	Diabetes, . .	1	2	4	2	2	7	7	10	15	6	1	-
Fem.	.	59	.	.	9	3	5	3	3	2	1	6	11	7	4	5	-	" . .	3	1	6	2	6	7	7	11	7	8	1	-
Males	216	.	.	456	10	7	6	8	10	10	42	58	31	14	14	6	-	Diarrhœa, . .	157	-	-	-	2	4	7	8	13	15	10	-
Fem.	.	234	.	.	12	9	11	8	11	15	39	60	29	15	14	11	-	" . .	150	1	-	-	4	4	7	11	24	16	17	-
Males	443	.	.	1003	66	37	32	44	26	37	22	13	27	39	59	41	-	Diphtheria, . .	270	128	22	11	4	3	3	1	1	-	-	-
Fem.	.	560	.	.	79	58	51	47	46	40	31	27	34	49	47	48	-	" . .	302	167	53	12	11	3	4	5	1	2	-	-
Males	1	.	.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	Diseased Milk, .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	95	.	.	244	5	8	7	13	7	6	9	12	7	12	4	5	-	Dropsy, . .	4	3	2	1	3	5	12	12	16	26	11	-
Fem.	.	149	.	.	14	8	16	13	18	17	11	12	10	11	7	12	-	" . .	2	1	2	1	13	14	16	21	24	39	16	-
Males	212	.	.	235	17	3	3	12	16	24	50	30	18	13	8	18	-	Drowned, . .	9	28	33	35	36	17	21	15	7	6	2	3
Fem.	.	23	.	.	-	-	2	1	2	3	2	3	3	3	1	3	-	" . .	6	3	3	-	-	5	2	2	1	1	-	-
Males	109	.	.	253	2	2	3	3	1	8	15	41	21	6	4	3	-	Dysentery, . .	39	11	3	1	6	6	5	9	9	9	11	-
Fem.	.	144	.	.	2	1	3	4	1	5	26	53	33	9	5	2	-	" . .	57	10	1	1	6	8	6	7	14	15	19	-
Males	29	.	.	55	1	4	-	5	1	1	7	4	-	3	1	2	-	Dyspepsia, . .	23	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	-
Fem.	.	26	.	.	1	4	2	2	1	2	1	4	3	4	2	-	-	" . .	17	-	1	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	2	-

TABLE VIII. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown
Males	32	.	.	77	6	2	3	3	2	3	1	2	-	4	5	1	-	Embolism, . .	2	-	-	1	-	5	2	7	8	3	4	-
Fem.	.	45	.	.	3	3	4	5	2	2	2	6	4	2	5	7	-	" . .	-	1	-	1	7	9	6	4	6	7	3	1
Males	318	.	.	608	21	13	20	12	23	17	49	67	47	23	16	10	-	Enteritis, . .	220	8	7	7	14	7	7	8	12	15	6	-
Fem.	.	290	.	.	11	13	13	19	13	16	42	59	40	26	21	17	-	" . .	175	5	7	10	18	12	12	11	17	14	10	1
Males	52	.	.	104	2	6	12	6	-	1	2	5	5	6	5	2	-	Epilepsy, . .	4	1	3	6	10	9	3	8	2	5	1	-
Fem.	.	52	.	.	4	1	4	6	9	5	6	4	4	3	2	4	-	" . .	3	2	-	6	10	9	4	8	6	3	1	-
Males	4	.	.	6	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Epistaxis, . .	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	2	.	.	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	" . .	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	10	.	.	17	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	Epithelioma, .	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	3	1	2	-
Fem.	.	7	.	.	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	" .	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	1	-	1	-	-
Males	117	.	.	212	13	15	16	11	12	13	6	3	2	3	11	10	-	Erysipelas, . .	28	3	3	4	4	6	12	11	17	19	8	-
Fem.	.	97	.	.	14	12	11	16	13	5	5	5	2	4	8	2	-	" . .	26	-	-	4	7	5	9	11	11	11	12	1
Males	12	.	.	18	-	5	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	Exposure, . .	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	1	-	1	1
Fem.	.	6	.	.	-	2	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	" . .	3	-	-	-		-	1	1		1	-	-
Males	14	.	.	27	-	-	3	-	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	1	-	Fever, Intermit.,	3	-	-	-	1	2	1	1	4	2	-	-
Fem.	.	13	.	.	1	1	-	1	2	1	3	2	-	-	-	2	-	" "	2	-	3	-	2	1	3	-	2	-	-	-

Males	14	.	.	29	–	–	2	–	–	2	2	–	3	1	3	1	–	Fever, Remittent,	3	–	–	–	5	1	1	1	2	1	–	–
Fem.	.	15	.	.	–	3	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	–	1	–	–	" "	2	1	–	1	2	3	1	2	3	–	–	–
Males	400	.	.	768	32	27	21	25	18	19	24	41	75	52	34	32	–	Fever, Typhoid, .	22	25	30	47	130	45	36	29	18	15	3	–
Fem.	.	368	.	.	15	24	29	21	30	17	25	33	47	59	31	37	–	" " .	21	21	28	45	93	48	33	31	[illegible]	19	6	1
Males	4	.	.	6	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	Fistula, . .	1	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	" . .	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
Males	5	.	.	9	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	Fits, . . .	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	1	–	1	–	–
Fem.	.	4	.	.	–	–	–	1	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	" . . .	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–
Males	54	.	.	96	4	5	4	3	1	2	5	6	7	8	3	6	–	Fracture, . .	–	–	–	–	9	7	9	10	9	6	4	–
Fem.	.	42	.	.	2	2	1	5	3	2	9	3	5	4	3	3	–	" . .	3	1	–	–	1	1	1	3	8	9	15	–
Males	5	.	.	5	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	Frozen, . .	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	1
Males	110	.	.	247	11	4	12	7	7	8	14	10	11	7	10	9	–	Gastritis, . .	40	3	2	1	2	3	12	6	17	16	7	1
Fem.	.	137	.	.	12	7	7	7	15	9	17	16	17	11	11	8	–	" . .	28	4	3	–	10	14	12	21	18	19	7	1
Males	1	.	.	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	Glanders, . .	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	Goitre, . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–
Males	1	.	.	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	Gout, . . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Males	7	.	.	9	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	2	–	–	Gravel, . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	[illegible]	3	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	" . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–
Males	1117	.	.	2227	120	108	111	100	86	95	83	86	85	72	88	83	–	Heart Disease, .	57	22	15	21	56	74	102	156	264	234	114	2
Fem	.	1110	.	.	96	119	106	118	97	88	80	89	77	80	83	77	–	" " .	39	14	22	21	52	91	127	165	233	228	115	3

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SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Males	15	.	.	19	–	2	–	–	–	3	6	3	1	–	–	–	–	Heat, . . .	1	–	1	–	2	3	3	–	1	4	–	–
Fem.	.	4	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	" . . .	2	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	70	.	.	124	8	3	8	7	8	6	5	3	5	5	6	6	–	Hemorrhage, .	27	–	4	4	9	6	6	8	3	4	1	1
Fem.	.	54	.	.	7	8	5	3	5	5	9	2	4	5	2	1	–	" .	11	2	–	–	11	9	2	4	8	6	1	–
Males	40	.	.	93	7	6	3	–	4	4	3	3	3	4	–	3	–	Hepatitis, . .	7	–	–	1	–	7	1	11	6	5	2	–
Fem.	.	53	.	.	4	2	9	6	5	2	6	3	4	3	5	4	–	" . .	1	1	–	–	–	3	7	11	11	15	4	–
Males	30	.	.	64	2	3	2	1	2	3	3	3	1	2	3	5	–	Hernia, . .	3	–	–	–	2	3	1	4	7	5	5	–
Fem.	.	34	.	.	5	4	3	3	3	1	2	3	3	2	2	3	–	" . .	1	1	–	–	1	3	5	7	10	4	2	–
Males	6	.	.	10	–	–	1	1	–	2	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	Hip Disease, .	2	2	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	4	.	.	1	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	" " .	–	1	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	12	.	.	15	1	1	–	–	1	3	2	2	1	1	–	–	–	Homicide, . .	–	–	–	2	1	4	4	1	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	3	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–		1	–	" . .	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–
Males	265	.	.	455	13	25	14	15	30	16	36	30	21	21	19	25	–	Hydrocephalus, .	231	21	3	1	3	4	1	1	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	190	.	.	19	20	10	25	20	15	17	13	17	14	11	9	–	" .	157	19	3	6	3	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	11	.	.	19	1	–	–	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	–	1	–	Hydrothorax, .	3	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	1	3	1	–
Fem.	.	8	.	.	–	–	1	3	1	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	" .	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	1	–	4	–	–

Males	45	.	.	89	3	3	5	3	2	4	2	5	4	4	6	4	-	Ileus, . . .	11	1	-	3	-	5	1	10	5	6	3	-
Fem.	.	44	.	.	5	1	5	6	3	2	4	4	4	3	3	4	-	" . . .	4	2	-	1	1	5	2	8	8	7	6	-
Males	1	.	.	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Infanticide, . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	135	.	.	220	12	8	16	13	11	6	8	18	19	10	6	8	-	Infantile, . .	135	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	85	.	.	12	4	7	7	6	4	7	10	7	5	5	11	-	" . .	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	9	.	.	17	1	-	1	-	-	2	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	Inflammation, .	4	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	1	-	-
Fem.	.	8	.	.	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	1	-	" .	6	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Males	12	.	.	20	1	4	2	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	Influenza, . .	6	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	-
Fem.	.	8	.	.	2	2	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	-
Males	7	.	.	12	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	2	1	1	-	Intussusception, .	3	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Fem.	.	5	.	.	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	" .	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	-	-
Males	93	.	.	188	5	7	11	14	6	7	6	5	11	7	4	10	-	Insanity, . .	-	-	1	-	6	14	24	16	14	15	3	-
Fem.	.	95	.	.	9	7	6	11	5	9	9	7	9	5	6	12	-	" . .	-	-	-	1	9	18	16	17	11	17	5	1
Males	70	.	.	90	2	7	7	6	3	1	9	11	5	6	8	5	-	Intemperance, .	-	-	-	-	6	24	18	13	6	3	-	-
Fem.	.	20	.	.	-	2	3	5	3	2	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	" .	-	-	-	-	-	9	7	1	2	1	-	-
Males	7	.	.	9	2	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	Ischuria, . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	-
Fem.	.	2	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Males	21	.	.	41	2	2	-	2	1	1	1	-	3	6	1	2	-	Jaundice, . .	10	-	-	-	1	-	1	4	1	2	2	-
Fem.	.	20	.	.	3	1	-	1	1	3	3	2	3	2	-	1	-	" . .	4	-	1	-	-	1	3	1	3	5	2	-
Males	4	.	.	7	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	Joint Disease, .	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	3	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	" " .	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-

TABLE VIII. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Males	120	.	.	204	11	10	7	13	12	6	8	16	10	12	8	7	-	Kidney Disease, .	5	-	4	1	7	12	14	16	18	33	10	-
Fem.	.	84	.	.	6	6	5	10	7	1	9	7	9	8	6	10	-	" " .	5	1	1	3	15	13	11	11	7	12	5	-
Males	36	.	.	64	3	3	6	5	2	6	1	1	3	1	-	5	-	Laryngitis, . .	26	3	-	-	2	3	-	-	1	1	-	-
Fem.	.	28	.	.	1	3	2	5	3	2	1	-	2	4	3	2	-	" . .	21	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Males	2	.	.	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	Lightning, . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	2	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Males	130	.	.	246	12	11	18	10	9	6	14	12	7	5	11	15	-	Liver Disease, .	6	1	1	-	2	11	27	29	39	12	1	1
Fem.	.	116	.	.	14	10	16	6	8	9	9	7	11	5	12	9	-	" " .	3	1	-	2	4	8	29	22	33	8	6	-
Males	60	.	.	60	3	18	1	1	3	2	2	-	3	1	2	24	-	Lost at Sea, .	-	-	-	-	7	2	2	-	1	-	-	48
Males	47	.	.	104	5	5	6	4	1	3	4	3	5	4	2	5	-	Lung Disease, .	9	5	-	-	9	3	3	4	5	5	4	-
Fem.	.	57	.	.	7	4	5	10	7	8	4	4	3	2	-	3	-	" " .	16	3	1	1	6	3	7	5	4	8	3	-
Males	41	.	.	69	4	-	6	5	3	4	2	4	3	4	3	3	-	Malformation, .	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	28	.	.	5	2	3	2	4	2	1	5	1	-	1	2	-	" .	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	1	.	.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	Malignant Pust , .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Males	164	.	.	313	16	11	18	33	27	27	12	5	4	5	2	4	-	Measles, . .	144	12	2	1	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	149	.	.	14	9	13	32	36	19	14	3	3	2	1	3	-	" . .	114	15	6	1	8	-	1	-	3	-	1	-

Fem.	.	99	.	99	9	14	8	16	16	10	6	6	2	3	4	5	-	Metria (Puerp. F.),	-	-	-	8	43	40	8	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	11	.	11	2	-	2	-	1	-	1	1	2	-	1	1	-	Metritis, . .	-	-	-	-	6	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	17	.	17	1	3	1	1	1	-	2	1	4	1	1	1	-	Miscarriage, .	-	-	-	-	6	10	1	-	-	-	-	-
Males	48	.	.	85	3	8	6	6	5	1	8	2	2	2	1	4	-	Mortification, .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	13	18	13	-
Fem.	.	37	.	.	3	2	2	5	-	1	2	7	4	5	3	3	-	" .	1	-	1	-	-	1	2	1	6	12	13	-
Males	2	.	.	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	Murder, . .	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	2	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Males	9	.	.	10	2	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	2	1	-	-	-	Necrosis, . .	-	-	-	1	1	1	3	-	2	1	-	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	-	1	-	-	-	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	363	.	.	647	32	30	32	35	29	27	35	30	23	25	33	32	-	Nephria, (Bright's D.)	8	3	6	6	38	33	55	62	80	56	15	1
Fem.	.	284	.	.	27	12	28	31	23	23	30	25	21	13	24	27	-	" "	2	6	1	7	37	52	40	62	29	37	11	-
Males	23	.	.	31	1	1	6	2	1	1	2	2	3	2	2	-	-	Locomo. Ataxia, .	-	-	-	1	-	2	5	5	6	3	1	-
Fem.	.	8	.	.	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	" " .	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	1	2	-	-
Males	134	.	.	237	15	5	16	13	12	12	10	12	12	10	8	9	-	Nephritis, . .	13	8	1	5	8	18	19	15	27	17	3	-
Fem.	.	103	.	.	8	12	9	11	11	8	6	8	6	7	5	12	-	" . .	6	9	2	3	12	14	14	14	15	12	1	1
Males	16	.	.	37	-	-	2	1	1	1	3	-	3	-	2	3	-	Neuralgia, . .	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	2	4	4	1	-
Fem.	.	21	.	.	1	2	1	4	1	3	3	-	1	1	2	2	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	7	7	1	-
Males	11	.	.	14	1	2	2	-	-	1	-	3	-	2	-	-	.	Noma (Canker),	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	3	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	" "	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	811	.	.	2007	71	74	83	85	67	62	76	60	60	53	46	74	-	Old Age, . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	67	269	473	1
Fem.	.	1196	.	.	104	115	106	124	117	79	83	103	92	90	85	98	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	100	307	782	4

TABLE VIII. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Fem.	.	51	.	51	5	5	5	2	4	5	5	3	1	8	4	4	-	Ovarian Dropsy, .	-	-	-	5	4	8	13	11	5	4	1	-
Males	2	.	.	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	Pancreas, Dis. of,	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	3	.	.	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Males	559	.	.	1132	58	58	41	46	41	44	61	42	44	39	38	47	-	Paralysis, . .	10	5	2	2	8	34	47	72	106	182	91	-
Fem.	.	573	.	.	51	63	49	47	45	56	50	44	45	45	47	31	-	" . .	5	-	3	-	10	21	40	71	119	185	118	1
Fem.	.	2	.	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Paramenia, . .	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	4	.	4	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	Parotitis, . .	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Males	43	.	.	102	1	5	6	8	7	1	3	4	1	1	3	3	-	Pericarditis, .	3	6	6	2	4	2	5	8	3	3	1	-
Fem.	.	59	.	.	5	3	11	8	8	6	4	4	3	5	1	1	-	" .	2	5	6	3	10	10	5	6	5	4	3	-
Males	150	.	.	350	10	20	14	6	13	17	15	17	11	11	6	10	-	Peritonitis, . .	19	7	16	11	22	14	22	17	12	8	2	-
Fem.	.	200	.	.	21	14	20	21	15	18	20	12	14	7	20	18	-	" . .	10	7	6	14	55	42	19	20	15	12	-	-
Males	2	.	.	6	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Phlebitis, . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Fem.	.	4	.	.	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	" . .	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-
Males	68	.	.	119	5	7	8	7	7	6	5	8	5	5	3	2	-	Pleurisy, . .	6	4	1	2	8	11	9	9	12	4	2	-
Fem.	.	51	.	.	5	3	10	5	4	2	5	2	1	3	4	7	-	" . .	2	1	3	1	8	6	5	7	10	6	2	-

Males	1755	.	.	3468	189	245	320	303	188	85	53	33	49	63	86	141	-	Pneumonia, .	511	68	15	30	120	128	176	200	215	191	96	5
Fem.	.	1713	.	.	214	238	299	295	191	71	41	38	47	85	83	111	-	" . .	423	53	24	37	92	119	120	176	255	243	166	5
Males	28	.	.	44	1	4	1	2	5	4	1	4	-	1	3	2	-	Poisoned, . .	5	-	-	1	4	5	3	4	4	2	-	-
Fem.	.	16	.	.	-	-	-	2	1	2	5	3	2	-	1	-	-	" . .	7	-	-	-	4	-	2	2	1	-	-	-
Males	248	.	.	477	22	18	24	26	20	23	18	22	13	20	19	23	-	Premature Births,	248	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	229	.	.	16	19	19	19	18	16	25	16	16	24	15	26	-	" "	229	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	40	.	.	40	5	4	3	5	1	3	3	2	6	3	3	2	-	Prostate, Dis. of, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	15	13	10	-
Fem.	.	43	.	43	3	8	6	3	2	1	4	5	5	1	2	3	-	Puerperal Convul.	-	-	-	8	20	12	3	-	-	-	-	-
Males	12	.	.	19	1	-	1	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	Purpura (Scurvy).	6	-	-	2	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-
Fem.	.	7	.	.	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	" "	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-
Males	10	.	.	22	4	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	Quinsy, . .	7	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Fem.	.	12	.	.	3	1	1	1	-	2	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	" . .	7	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	175	.	.	187	9	7	11	9	11	13	25	25	14	18	19	14	-	R. R Accident, .	5	8	5	15	46	35	18	12	17	8	1	5
Fem.	.	12	.	.	1	-	-	-	-	1	4	1	-	2	-	3	-	" " .	2	-	-	1	3	-	1	2	2	-	1	-
Males	119	.	.	213	11	11	10	18	17	11	7	5	8	7	7	7	-	Rheumatism, .	3	2	6	2	12	18	15	19	23	16	3	-
Fem.	.	94	.	.	7	7	9	16	12	8	3	6	5	8	3	10	-	" .	2	12	7	1	5	7	10	7	19	16	8	-
Males	282	.	.	587	27	28	32	33	29	23	21	12	21	15	15	26	-	Scarlatina, . .	193	68	11	3	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	305	.	.	30	29	26	37	35	30	18	16	13	15	29	27	-	" . .	170	100	20	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Males	41	.	.	73	1	2	4	1	7	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	-	Scrofula, . .	29	2	2	3	1	-	1	1	1	1	-	-
Fem.	.	32	.	.	4	3	1	6	1	4	2	5	2	2	1	1	-	" . .	20	-	1	3	2	1	-	1	3	1	-	-
Males	46	.	.	126	5	3	4	3	2	2	3	8	2	4	3	7	-	Septicæmia, .	6	3	2	3	1	5	7	7	4	5	2	1
Fem.	.	80	.	.	14	8	4	2	10	8	6	7	6	4	4	7	-	" . .	8	2	1	8	11	19	10	12	7	-	2	-

TABLE VIII. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Males	17	.	.	26	–	4	3	1	-	1	1	–	–	1	2	4	-	Skin Diseases, .	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-
Fem.	.	9	.	.	–	–	1	–	-	1	2	1	1	1	–	2	-	" " .	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Males	7	.	.	18	–	–	–	1	-	–	–	–	3	1	–	2	-	Small-pox, . .	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	11	.	.	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	–	2	1	3	2	-	" . .	6	1	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Males	13	.	.	28	–	2	1	2	2	-	1	1	1	2	-	1	-	Spina Bifida, .	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	15	.	.	–	–	2	2	4	1	2	1	-	1	2	–	-	" " .	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	35	.	.	68	4	1	4	2	5	5	3	3	2	4	2	-	-	Spine Disease, .	8	3	5	3	2	4	1	1	4	4	-	-
Fem.	.	33	.	.	2	2	3	3	2	3	1	7	2	2	4	2	-	" " .	8	1	3	3	1	4	3	4	3	2	1	-
Males	1	.	.	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	-	Spleen Disease, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	2	.	.	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	-	" " .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
Males	2	.	.	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	-	Starvation, . .	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	-	" . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Males	37	.	.	92	5	4	3	3	2	5	2	–	3	1	5	4	-	Stomach Disease,	4	-	-	-	1	4	6	1	11	9	1	-
Fem.	.	55	.	.	3	4	5	2	1	8	8	4	6	2	4	8	-	" "	8	-	1	-	6	5	9	6	9	9	2	-
Males	7	.	.	9	3	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	1	-	Strangulation, .	2	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	-	" .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-

Males	4	.	.	13	1	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Strict. of Intest, .	3	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	9	.	.	1	1	–	1	–	2	–	–	2	1	–	1	–	" " .	1	–	–	–	–	1	1	3	1	2	–	–
Males	1	.	.	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	Strict. Œsophagus,	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	3	.	.	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	" "	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–
Males	2	.	.	2	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	Strict. of Urethra,	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Males	2	.	.	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	Suddenly, . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	" . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Males	49	.	.	81	4	5	7	5	5	4	2	7	2	3	4	1	–	Suffocation, .	38	–	–	1	1	3	3	1	2	–	–	–
Fem.	.	32	.	.	–	2	5	6	–	2	6	2	5	1	1	2	–	" .	29	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–
Males	141	.	.	176	5	8	7	19	13	10	15	16	14	13	9	12	–	Suicide, . .	–	–	1	1	24	27	29	21	23	12	1	2
Fem.	.	35	.	.	–	1	2	2	4	6	2	1	4	7	3	3	–	" . .	–	–	–	3	8	12	5	5	1	1	–	–
Males	1	.	.	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Surg. Operation, .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Males	20	.	.	38	5	3	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	–	1	–	–	Syphilis, . .	12	–	–	1	2	2	2	1	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	18	.	.	4	–	–	3	1	2	1	1	1	4	1	–	–	" . .	12	–	–	–	1	2	2	1	–	–	–	–
Males	433	.	.	809	29	19	31	33	30	23	50	69	53	33	31	32	–	Tabes Mesenter.	381	4	2	1	1	3	2	6	14	15	4	–
Fem.	.	376	.	.	18	16	22	38	22	24	41	67	36	44	21	27	–	" "	294	9	–	4	4	4	7	9	17	17	11	–
Males	75	.	.	129	6	6	9	6	5	6	11	8	7	6	5	–		Teething, . .	75	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	54	.	.	4	1	2	7	2	2	11	9	5	3	3	5	–	" . .	54	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	12	.	.	17	–	–	–	2	–	3	4	–	1	1	1	–	–	Tetanus, . .	–	3	2	2	2	2	–	–	1	–	–	–
Fem.	.	5	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	2	–	1	–	" . .	–	1	1	–	1	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
Males	1	.	.	6	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Thrush, . .	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	5	.	.	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	" . .	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE VIII. — Concluded.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Unknown.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	Over 80	Unknown.
Males	14	.	.	55	–	1	2	3	2	1	–	1	1	–	1	2	–	Tumor, . .	2	–	1	–	1	1	1	2	4	2	–	–
Fem.	.	41	.	.	2	1	5	5	3	3	4	–	5	5	6	2	–	" . .	1	–	–	1	–	6	12	5	6	8	2	–
Males	9	.	.	16	2	1	1	–	2	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	Ulcers, . .	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	5	2	1	–	–
Fem.	.	7	.	.	–	1	1	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	" . .	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	2	–	–	–
Males	11	.	.	25	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	4	2	1	–	1	–	Ulcer Intest., .	2	–	–	4	–	–	–	3	1	1	–	–
Fem.	.	14	.	.	2	–	1	1	–	–	–	3	2	2	–	3	–	" " .	–	–	1	–	2	3	2	1	2	2	1	–
Males	177	.	.	301	8	13	17	18	14	13	17	20	24	14	10	9	–	Unknown, . .	105	4	1	8	12	8	10	22	2	–	–	5
Fem.	.	124	.	.	14	8	21	6	11	5	12	16	16	6	7	2	–	" . .	83	4	–	4	5	10	7	7	–	–	–	4
Fem.	.	21	.	21	2	3	1	3	2	–	1	–	3	3	3	–	–	Uterus Disease, .	–	–	–	1	2	3	6	8	1	–	–	–
Males	1	.	.	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	Vaccination, .	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	80	.	.	184	21	8	9	3	4	7	6	7	6	5	3	1	–	Whooping Cough,	78	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	104	.	.	20	16	7	10	9	5	4	11	7	6	4	5	–	" "	100	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	1	.	.	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	Worms, . .	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	" . .	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Table IX.

CAUSES OF DEATH,

NOSOLOGICALLY ARRANGED,

(BY COUNTIES.)

Table IX. — CAUSES OF DEATH. — Nosological Arrangement.*

Exhibiting the Number of Deaths in each County, from Specified Causes (statistically classified), during the Year

1885.

[Still-births included.†]

CAUSES OF DEATH.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
All Causes,	39,683	572	1,368	3,422	220	4,957	610	2,209	833	6,902	1,775	1,464	10,762	4,589
Specified Causes,	39,183	559	1,326	3,394	212	4,886	603	2,180	820	6,807	1,762	1,432	10,694	4,508
(CLASSES.)														
I. — Zymotic Diseases,	7,135	54	289	561	32	768	89	503	170	1,213	261	232	2,131	832
II. — Constitutional Diseases,	8,922	133	258	735	36	1,254	135	423	164	1,514	423	362	2,532	953
III. — Local Diseases,	16,074	257	559	1,483	99	1,946	239	877	344	2,853	747	595	4,235	1,840
IV. — Developmental Diseases,	5,599	99	176	516	41	706	107	290	115	994	254	206	1,390	705
V. — Violent Deaths,	1,453	16	44	99	4	212	33	87	27	233	77	37	406	178
(ORDERS.)														
I. — 1. *Miasmatic Diseases,*	6,817	51	284	545	32	733	85	483	164	1,157	247	221	2,009	806
2. *Enthetic Diseases,*	168	2	2	7	–	16	3	14	5	35	12	7	48	17
3. *Dietic Diseases,*	141	1	3	6	–	19	1	6	1	16	2	4	73	9
4. *Parasitic Diseases,*	9	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	5	–	–	1	–
II. — 1. *Diathetic Diseases,*	1,599	38	57	146	14	223	39	69	35	299	82	75	334	188
2. *Tubercular Diseases,*	7,323	95	201	589	22	1,031	96	354	129	1,215	341	287	2,198	765

III.—1. *Diseases of Nervous System*, .	4,815	93	170	502	47	673	72	264	135	843	234	193	955	634
2. *Dis. of Organs of Circulation*,	2,518	45	90	200	20	348	34	120	44	498	118	126	613	262
3. *Dis. of Respiratory Organs*, .	4,982	63	168	414	13	523	73	274	77	876	202	153	1,585	561
4. *Diseases of Digestive Organs*,.	2,068	30	73	215	7	219	32	140	45	357	110	60	566	214
5. *Diseases of Urinary Organs*, .	1,367	17	42	133	9	156	22	65	39	224	66	53	401	140
6. *Dis. of Generative Organs*, .	83	2	5	3	1	7	–	5	1	10	3	3	37	6
7. *Dis. of Organs of Locomotion*,	116	4	7	6	2	8	3	3	1	25	7	3	37	10
8. *Dis. of Integumentary System*,	125	3	4	10	–	12	3	6	2	20	7	4	41	13
IV.—1. *Dev. Diseases of Children*, .	2,631	19	65	201	9	307	30	106	24	481	125	51	903	310
2. *Dev. Diseases of Adults*, . .	208	5	11	19	2	20	2	9	5	21	3	9	84	18
3. *Dev. Diseases of Old People*, .	2,007	70	80	167	28	275	65	117	72	353	111	115	280	274
4. *Diseases of Nutrition*, . .	753	5	20	129	2	104	10	58	14	139	15	31	123	103
V.—1. *Accident or Negligence*, . .	1,256	15	33	84	4	196	30	78	22	197	60	31	353	153
2. *Battle*, ...	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3. *Homicide*, ...	21	–	–	3	–	3	–	1	–	3	2	–	7	2
4. *Suicide*, ...	176	1	11	12	–	13	3	8	5	33	15	6	46	23
5. *Execution*, ...	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sudden deaths (cause unascertained),	3	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
Causes not specified,‡	497	13	42	27	8	71	7	29	13	93	13	32	68	81

* See "Statistical Nosology," in Appendix.

† Still-births are included in no Tables of Deaths, except Tables IX and X.

‡ Including 124 deaths from "Hemorrhage," 55 from "Tumor," 17 from "Inflammation," and 301 deaths of which the cause was not stated in the Returns.

TABLE IX. — Continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
I. — 1. *Miasmatic.*														
Totals,	6,817	51	284	545	32	733	35	483	164	1,157	247	221	2,109	806
1. Small-pox,	19	-	4	4	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	5	3
2. Measles,	313	3	8	33	-	13	5	19	2	39	5	5	151	30
3. Scarlatina,	587	-	13	20	1	61	11	59	17	112	37	34	189	33
4. Diphtheria,	1,003	-	82	66	5	97	-	38	8	169	23	39	359	117
5. Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis,	140	3	6	14	-	9	4	11	10	27	5	4	28	19
6. Quinsy,	26	-	-	2	3	2	-	-	1	3	-	1	8	6
7. Croup,	520	2	36	45	2	65	3	37	6	98	8	14	121	83
8. Whooping Cough,	184	5	8	14	1	34	1	14	3	30	7	3	47	17
9. Typhoid Fever,*	768	8	24	61	5	191	14	69	24	134	45	24	157	102
10. Erysipelas,	212	4	3	20	1	22	4	17	3	31	16	8	49	34
11. Metria (Puerperal Fever),	99	-	4	11	-	9	5	2	2	23	3	6	17	15
12. Carbuncle,	16	1	-	1	-	5	-	-	-	2	-	-	6	1
13. Influenza,	20	-	-	-	-	3	1	3	3	3	2	3	1	1
14. Dysentery,	253	7	7	29	1	28	10	16	5	44	7	5	60	34
15. Diarrhœa,	450	3	4	29	4	37	5	18	13	68	11	17	199	42
16. Cholera Infantum,	1,825	8	72	171	6	222	17	153	37	329	70	48	491	228
17. Cholera,	86	2	4	5	-	5	1	10	1	12	3	2	27	14
18. Ague,	27	1	1	1	-	4	-	4	6	3	-	2	2	3
19. Remittent Fever,	29	1	2	1	2	1	-	3	3	3	-	-	3	5
20. Rheumatism,	213	3	6	18	1	14	4	10	15	26	4	6	37	19

I.—2. *Enthetic.*														
Totals,	168	2	2	7	–	16	3	14	5	35	12	7	48	17
1. Syphilis,	38	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	–	6	2	–	27	–
2. Stricture of Urethra,	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–
3. Hydrophobia,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
4. Glanders,	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
5. Malignant Pustule,	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
6. Septicæmia,	126	2	1	7	–	14	3	14	5	28	10	7	18	17
I.—3. *Dietic.*														
Totals,	141	1	3	6	–	19	1	6	1	16	2	4	73	9
1. Privation,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2. Purpura and Scurvy,	19	1	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	3	1	1	8	2
3. Delirium Tremens, } Alcoholism,	32	–	1	2	–	2	–	1	–	4	–	1	19	2
4. Intoxication, } Alcoholism,	90	–	2	3	–	16	1	4	1	9	1	2	46	5
I.—4. *Parasitic.*														
Totals,	9	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	5	–	–	1	–
1. Thrush,	6	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	4	–	–	1	–
2 Worms,	3	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
II.—1. *Diathetic.*														
Totals,	1,599	38	57	146	14	223	39	69	35	299	82	75	334	188
1. Gout,	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
2. Dropsy,	244	7	12	26	5	26	11	16	4	50	8	18	17	44
3. Anæmia,	168	3	9	17	–	23	3	11	3	37	6	5	30	21
4. Cancer,†	1,087	24	31	89	9	160	23	39	25	195	61	43	276	112
5. Noma (Canker),	14	–	–	–	–	4	1	–	–	2	1	2	2	2
6. Mortification,	85	4	5	14	–	10	1	3	3	15	6	6	9	9

* Including "Fever," Typhus Fever, Continued Fever, and "Bilious" Fever.

† Including 690 cases of Cancer, 145 Cancer of Stomach, 49 Cancer of Bowels, 86 Cancer of Liver, 100 Cancer of Uterus, and 17 of Epithelioma.

TABLE IX. — Continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
II. — 2. *Tubercular.*														
Totals,	7,323	95	201	589	22	1,031	96	354	129	1,215	341	287	2,198	765
1. Scrofula,	104	2	3	5	–	11	1	5	3	14	7	6	40	7
2. Tabes Mesenterica,	809	8	12	104	2	116	3	34	4	121	39	23	315	28
3. Phthisis (Consumption of Lungs),	5,955	85	174	452	17	846	89	293	116	1,008	279	251	1,650	695
4. Hydrocephalus (Tubercular Meningitis),	455	–	12	28	3	58	3	22	6	72	16	7	193	35
III. — 1. *Nervous System.*														
Totals,	4,815	93	170	502	47	673	72	264	135	843	234	193	955	634
1. Cephalitis,	1,165	11	33	130	6	138	9	74	36	215	60	33	293	127
2. Apoplexy,	1,003	14	46	106	10	131	15	64	27	162	46	47	230	105
3. Paralysis,	1,132	42	40	104	22	195	22	46	35	192	68	63	154	149
4. Insanity,	188	2	5	22	1	24	1	–	1	14	5	3	35	75
5. Chorea,	11	–	–	2	–	1	–	–	–	3	1	–	3	1
6. Epilepsy,	113	2	1	15	–	12	3	7	3	14	5	5	21	25
7. Tetanus,	17	–	3	1	–	5	1	1	–	3	1	–	2	–
8. Convulsions,	712	4	31	91	4	102	10	52	16	123	23	18	129	109
9. *Brain Diseases, etc.,*	474	18	11	31	4	65	11	20	17	117	25	24	88	43
III. — 2. *Organs of Circulation.*														
Totals,	2,518	45	90	200	20	348	34	120	44	498	118	126	613	262
1. Pericarditis,	102	–	3	7	3	16	1	3	1	23	7	2	22	14
2. Aneurism,	35	–	1	7	–	2	1	–	2	2	1	3	12	4
3. *Heart Diseases, etc.,*	2,381	45	86	186	17	330	32	117	41	473	110	121	579	244

III. — 3. *Respiratory Organs.* Totals,	4,982	63	168	411	13	523	73	274	77	876	202	153	1,585	561
1. Epistaxis,	6	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	3	–
2. Laryngitis,	64	–	1	1	–	9	–	2	–	6	1	4	29	11
3. Bronchitis,	1,131	12	26	109	2	78	7	50	13	167	31	29	513	94
4. Pleurisy,	138	5	–	12	–	9	1	3	3	23	7	6	59	10
5. Pneumonia,	3,468	43	135	274	9	411	64	213	57	643	154	101	938	423
6. Asthma,	71	1	3	9	2	7	–	2	2	12	1	4	19	9
7. *Lung Diseases, etc.,*	104	2	3	9	–	9	–	4	2	23	8	6	24	14
III. — 4. *Digestive Organs.* Totals,	2,068	30	73	215	7	219	32	140	45	357	110	60	566	214
1. Gastritis,	247	5	5	17	1	35	9	15	7	43	13	5	61	31
2. Enteritis,	608	5	20	99	3	53	5	58	8	90	25	11	170	61
3. Peritonitis,	350	3	17	36	–	47	5	18	10	73	18	10	80	33
4. Ascites,	29	–	–	–	–	2	1	3	1	2	3	1	12	4
5. Ulceration of Intestines,	25	2	1	1	–	2	–	1	1	3	1	1	8	4
6. Hernia,	64	1	3	7	1	3	2	3	1	12	3	2	23	3
7. Ileus,	89	2	3	9	1	8	–	5	–	23	5	2	24	7
8. Intussusception,	12	1	–	1	–	3	–	–	–	1	2	–	2	2
9. Stricture of Intestines,	17	–	1	–	–	3	–	1	2	3	2	–	5	–
10. Fistula,	6	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	1
11. *Stomach Diseases, etc.,*	233	5	8	14	1	19	7	11	7	38	15	9	77	22
12. *Pancreas Disease,*	5	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	–
13. Hepatitis,	93	2	2	6	–	10	1	6	–	11	12	7	27	9
14. Jaundice,	41	–	3	1	–	6	1	2	3	6	1	1	8	9
15. *Liver Diseases, etc.,*	246	3	9	23	–	26	1	17	4	52	10	9	64	28
16. *Spleen Diseases,*	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE IX. — Continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
III. — 5. *Urinary Organs.*														
Totals,	1,367	17	42	133	9	156	22	65	39	224	66	53	401	140
1. Nephritis,	237	2	4	22	-	25	-	11	-	46	8	5	105	9
2. Ischuria,	9	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	1
3. Nephria (Bright's Disease),	647	6	20	62	6	69	13	35	18	109	30	22	182	75
4. Diabetes,	116	-	2	13	1	7	-	6	6	23	11	7	28	12
5. Calculus (Stone, Gravel, etc.),	9	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	4	-
6 Cystitis,	105	3	7	11	-	11	3	4	4	14	6	8	24	10
7. *Kidney Diseases, etc.,*	244	6	7	22	2	43	6	9	9	31	11	10	55	33
III. — 6. *Generative Organs.*														
Totals,	83	2	5	3	1	7	-	5	1	10	3	3	37	6
1. Ovarian Dropsy,	51	1	3	2	1	3	-	3	1	5	2	1	25	4
2. *Uterus Diseases, etc.,*	32	1	2	1	-	4	-	2	-	5	1	2	12	2
III. — 7. *Organs of Locomotion.*														
Totals,	116	4	7	6	2	8	3	3	1	25	7	3	37	10
1. Arthritis,	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	5	-
2. *Joint Diseases, etc.,**	109	4	7	6	2	8	3	3	1	24	6	3	32	10
III. — 8. *Integumentary System.*														
Totals,	125	3	4	10	-	12	3	6	2	20	7	4	41	13
1. Phlegmon,	83	1	3	7	-	8	2	5	2	16	2	2	29	6
2. Ulcer,	16	2	-	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	3	-	4	2
3. *Skin Diseases, etc.,*	26	-	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	4	2	2	8	5

IV. — 1. *Dev. Diseases of Children.*														
Totals,	2,631	19	65	201	9	307	30	106	24	481	125	51	903	310
1. Still-born,	1,589	12	40	153	9	193	17	58	13	260	72	30	559	173
2. Infantile, Premature, etc.,†	697	5	18	31	–	81	10	38	7	164	29	13	193	108
3. Cyanosis,	119	–	2	7	–	8	–	2	–	23	7	3	63	4
4. Spina Bifida,	28	–	1	–	–	2	–	–	1	6	4	2	10	2
5. Other Malformations,	69	–	1	5	–	13	–	3	2	10	9	2	19	5
6. Teething,	129	2	3	5	–	10	3	5	1	18	4	1	59	18
IV. — 2. *Dev. Diseases of Adults.*														
Totals,	208	5	11	19	2	20	2	9	5	21	3	9	84	18
1. Paramenia,	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–
2. Childbirth,‡	206	5	11	19	2	20	2	9	5	21	2	9	83	18
IV. — 3. *Dev. Diseases of Old People.*														
1. Old Age,	2,007	70	80	167	28	275	65	117	72	353	111	115	280	274
IV. — 4 *Dev. Diseases of Nutrition.*														
1. Atrophy and Debility,	753	5	20	129	2	104	10	58	14	139	15	31	123	103
V. — 1. *Accident or Negligence.*														
Totals,	1,256	15	33	84	4	196	30	78	22	197	60	31	353	153
1. Fractures and Contusions,§	283	1	12	16	–	19	2	25	5	43	14	3	106	37
2. Wounds,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3. Burns and Scalds,	110	2	5	7	–	9	1	10	2	19	5	1	39	10
4 Poison,	49	1	1	6	–	4	–	3	–	13	5	–	7	9
5. Drowning (and Lost at Sea),	295	4	4	11	1	100	9	17	6	42	11	13	49	28
6. Suffocation (and Strangulation),	90	2	1	14	–	9	2	10	–	12	6	3	23	8
7. Otherwise,‖	52	1	1	4	–	5	1	3	2	7	1	2	17	8
8. Casualty,¶	377	4	9	26	3	50	15	10	7	61	18	9	112	53

* Including 68 Disease of Spine and 10 Hip Disease.
† See note on p. xcix.
‡ Not including 99 cases of Metria (Puerperal Fever.)
§ Including 187 from Railroad Accidents.
‖ Under "Otherwise" (V. — I. 7) are included Deaths from heat, cold, drinking cold water, lightning, surgical operation, and exposure.
¶ Manner not specified; returned, as "Casualty."

TABLE IX. — Concluded.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
V. — 2. *Battle.*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
V. — 3. *Homicide.*	21	–	–	3	–	3	–	1	–	3	2	–	7	2
V. — 4. *Suicide.**	176	1	11	12	–	13	3	8	5	33	15	6	46	23
V. — 5. *Execution.*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sudden, cause unknown, . . .	3	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
Causes not specified,†	497	13	42	27	8	71	7	29	13	93	13	33	68	81

* Totals: manner not stated.

† Comprising 124 deaths from "Hemorrhage," 55 from "Tumor," 17 from "Inflammation," and 301 deaths either returned as "Unknown," or of which no cause was stated in the Returns.

NOTE. — When a person is "found drowned," the case is classed under "accident or negligence." (V. — 1. 4.) Cases of death from cold, heat, drinking cold water, lightning, surgical operations, and exposure, are classed under "accident or negligence." (V. — 1. 6.) As "stricture of the urethra" is almost invariably the result of gonorrhœa, it is classed as (I. — 2. 2). — [DR. FARR.]

NOTE.

Previously to the adoption, in the Registration Report of 1855, of the present NOSOLOGICAL ARRANGEMENT of Tables IX. and X., the term "Infantile" in those Tables included under a single designation not only all deaths returned under the several heads "Infantile," "Premature," or "Premature Births," but also all ascribed to "Debility" or "Unknown" causes, if under two years of age.

This plan was continued until the Registration Report of 1868, in which, to secure greater accuracy, the method now employed was adopted, by which Deaths returned under the heads of "Premature," "Premature Births," or "Infantile," are stated *separately* in Table VIII., and *combined* in Tables IX. and X. Deaths of Children under two years, from "Debility" or "Unknown" cause, are no longer classed as "Infantile."

See Registration Report of 1868, p. cv., for a fuller explanation.

Table X. — CAUSES OF DEATH. — Comparative Mortality.

Exhibiting the Number of Deaths from Specified Causes (Nosologically Arranged) during each of the Five Years 1881–1882–1883–1884–1885, with the Number of Deaths, annually, to 100,000 of the Population; also the Number and Percentage of Deaths during the Five Years 1881–5, and during the entire Registration Period of Forty-four Years and Eight Months, ending Dec. 31, 1885.*

[Still-births included.]

Deaths.							Causes of Death.	Deaths to 100,000 Population.†					Percentage of All Deaths.	
1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.		1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.
37,924	38,270	39,337	38,618	39,683	193,832	1,124,531	**All Causes,**	2,126·87	2,146·26	2,206·12	2,165·78	2,043·26	–	–
37,259	37,680	38,657	38,083	39,183	190,862	1,086,939	**Specified Causes,‡**	2,089·57	2,113·18	2,167·98	2,135·79	2,017·51	100·00	100·00
							(CLASSES.)							
8,240	7,875	7,634	7,678	7,135	38,562	285,503	I. — Zymotic Diseases,	462·12	441·65	428·13	430·60	367·38	20·21	26·27
8,693	8,698	8,810	8,681	8,922	43,804	280,490	II. — Constitutional Dis.,	487·53	487·80	494·09	486·85	459·39	22·95	25·80
13,660	14,013	14,867	14,456	16,074	73,070	306,616	III. — Local Diseases,	766·08	785·88	833·78	810·73	827·64	38·28	28·21
5,240	5,530	5,666	5,638	5,599	27,673	170,877	IV. — Developmental Dis.,	293·87	310·14	317·76	316·19	288·29	14·50	15·72
1,426	1,564	1,680	1,630	1,453	7,753	43,453	V. — Violent Deaths,	79·97	87·71	94·22	91·42	74·81	4·06	4·00
							(ORDERS.)							
7,921	7,558	7,312	7,338	6,817	36,946	277,609	I. — 1. *Miasmatic Diseases,*	444·22	423·87	410·07	411·53	351·01	19·36	25·54
155	154	172	187	168	836	2,204	2. *Enthetic Diseases,*	8·69	8·64	9·65	10·49	8·65	·44	·20
153	155	140	143	141	732	4,702	3. *Dietic Diseases,*	8·58	8·69	7·85	8·02	7·26	·38	·41
11	8	10	10	9	48	988	4. *Parasitic Diseases,*	·62	·45	·56	·56	·46	·03	·09
1,502	1,545	1,573	1,560	1,599	7,779	46,652	II. — 1. *Diathetic Diseases,*	84·24	86·64	88·22	87·49	82·33	4·08	4·29
7,191	7,153	7,237	7,121	7,323	36,025	233,838	2. *Tubercular Diseases,*	403·29	401·16	405·87	399·36	377·06	18·87	21·51

								Diseases of—						
4,241	4,286	4,516	4,594	4,815	22,452	104,299	III.—1	*Nervous System,* .	237·85	240·37	253·27	257·64	247·92	11·76	9·60
2,169	2,271	2,421	2,380	2,518	11,759	42,614	2.	*Organs of Circulation*	121·64	127·36	135·77	133·47	129 65	6·16	3·92
4,172	4,199	4,379	3,943	4,982	21,675	91,184	3.	*Respiratory Organs,* .	233 98	235·49	245 59	221 13	256·52	11·37	8·39
1,727	1,819	1,969	1,989	2,068	9,572	43,022	4.	*Digestive Organs,* .	96 85	102·01	110·43	111·55	106·48	5·01	3·96
1,053	1,147	1,209	1,265	1,367	6,041	16,994	5.	*Urinary Organs,* .	59·05	64.33	67·80	70·95	79·39	3·16	1·56
68	73	81	57	83	362	1,477	6.	*Generative Organs,* .	3·81	4·09	4·54	3·20	4·27	·19	·14
110	147	174	128	116	675	3,707	7.	*Organs of Locomotion*	6·17	8·25	9·76	7·18	5·97	·35	·34
120	71	118	100	125	534	3,319	8.	*Integument'ry System*	6 73	3·98	6·62	5·61	6·44	·28	·30
								Dev. Diseases of—							
2,422	2,558	2,600	2,668	2,631	12,879	92,296	IV.—1.	*Children,* . . .	135·83	143·46	145·81	149·63	135·47	6 75	8·49
232	215	219	179	208	1,053	8,357	2.	*Adults,* . . .	13·01	12·06	12·28	10·04	10 71	·55	·77
1,816	2,024	1,968	1,957	2,007	9,772	56,518	3.	*Old People,* . .	101·85	113·51	110·38	109·75	103·34	5·12	5·20
770	733	879	834	753	3,969	13,706	4.	*Dis. of Nutrition,* .	43 18	41·11	49·29	46·77	38·77	2 08	1 26
1,241	1,381	1,498	1,428	1,256	6,804	37,253	V.—1.	*Accid't or Negligence,*	69·60	77·45	84·01	80·09	64·67	3·56	3·43
–	–	–	–	–	–	1,246	2.	*Battle,* . . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	·12
20	21	15	18	21	95	702	3.	*Homicide,* . . .	1·12	1·18	·84	1·01	1·08	·05	·06
165	162	167	184	176	854	4,234	4.	*Suicide,* . . .	9·25	9·08	9·37	10 32	9 06	·45	·39
–	–	–	–	–	–	18	5.	*Execution,* . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
9	5	7	11	3	35	798		*Sudden (cause unascertained).*	·51	·28	·39	·61	·16	–	–
656	585	673	524	497	2,935	36,794		*Causes not specified,* . .	36·79	32·81	37·75	29·38	25·59	–	–

* For explanation of the classification adopted, see "Statistical Nosology," in Appendix.

† Owing to the undetermined increase of Population, these computations are strictly accurate only in census years.

‡ Including Still-born. See notes to Table IX.

TABLE X. — Continued.

DEATHS.							CAUSES OF DEATH.	DEATHS TO 100,000 POPULATION.					PERCENTAGE OF ALL DEATHS.	
1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.		1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.
							I — 1. *Miasmatic.*							
47	45	5	3	19	119	5,471	1. Small-pox, . . .	2·64	2·52	·28	·22	·98	·06	.50
230	68	321	75	313	1,007	8,160	2 Measles, ...	12·90	3·81	18·00	.4·20	16·12	·53	·75
397	318	575	627	587	2,504	37,335	3. Scarlatina, . . .	22·26	17·84	32·25	35 16	30 23	1·31	3·44
1,706	1,280	1,091	1,084	1,003	6,164	25,826	4. Diphtheria, . . .	95·68	71·79	61·19	60·79	51·64	3·23	2·38
157	166	169	161	140	793	2,523	5. Cerebro-Sp. Meningitis, .	8 80	9·31	9·48	9·03	7·21	·42	·23
18	21	36	15	26	116	890	6. Quinsy, ...	1·01	1·18	2·02	·84	1·34	·06	·08
677	491	530	562	520	2,780	20,862	7. Croup, ...	37·97	27·54	29·72	31·52	26 77	1·46	1·92
217	265	137	410	184	1,213	10,875	8. Whooping Cough, . .	12 17	14·86	7·68	22 99	9 47	·64	1·00
1,072	1,079	860	875	768	4,654	45,071	9. Typhoid Fever,* . .	60·12	60·51	48 23	49 07	39·54	2·44	4 15
253	252	261	191	212	1,169	7,421	10. Erysipelas, . . .	14·19	14·13	14·64	10·71	10·92	·61	·68
116	126	127	111	99	579	2,413	11. Metria (Puerp. Fever), .	6·50	7·07	7·12	6·22	5·10	·30	·22
14	15	10	12	16	67	245	12. Carbuncle, . . .	·79	·84	·56	·67	82	·04	·02
15	22	23	8	20	88	1,775	13. Influenza, . . .	·84	1·24	1·29	·45	1·03	·05	·16
360	398	336	254	253	1,601	31,970	14. Dysentery, . . .	20·19	22·32	18 84	14·24	13 03	·84	2·94
458	488	516	522	450	2,434	13,431	15. Diarrhœa, . . .	25·68	27·36	28·94	29 27	23·17	1·28	1·24
1,861	2,159	1,941	2,081	1,852	9,894	51,332	16. Cholera Infantum, . .	104·37	121·08	108·86	116·70	95·36	5·18	4·81
.68	136	84	108	86	482	5,401	17. Cholera, ...	3·81	7·63	4·71	6·06	4·43	·25	·50
11	25	48	11	27	122	410	18. Ague, ...	·62	1·40	2·69	·61	1·39	·06	·04
18	17	27	20	29	111	486	19. Remittent Fever, . .	1·01	·95	1·51	1 12	1 49	·05	·05
226	187	215	208	213	1,049	4,712	20. Rheumatism, . . .	12·67	10·49	12·06	11·66	10·97	·55	·43

							I.—2. *Enthetic.*							
64	61	57	62	38	282	1,231	1. Syphilis, ...	3·59	3·42	3·20	3·48	1·96	·15	·11
4	2	9	4	2	21	75	2. Stricture of Urethra, .	·22	·11	50	·23	·10	.015	·007
3	–	–	–	–	3	72	3. Hydrophobia, . .	·17	–	–	–	–	–	·006
–	–	–	–	1	1	16	4. Glanders, . . .	–	–	–	–	·05	–	–
4	–	3	2	1	10	93	5. Malignant Pustule, .	22	–	·17	·11	·05	·005	·007
80	91	103	119	126	519	717	6. Septicæmia, . . .	4·49	5·10	5·78	6·67	6·49	·27	·07
							I.—3. *Dietic.*							
6	4	–	–	–	10	221	1. Privation, . . .	·33	·22	–	–	–	·005	·02
24	25	27	18	19	113	523	2. Purpura and Scurvy, .	1 35	1·40	1·51	1·01	·98	·05	·05
26	35	32	26	32	151	1,168	3. Del. Trem. } Alcoholism,	1·46	1·96	1·80	1·46	1·65	·085	·11
97	91	81	99	90	458	2,790	4. Intemp'ce, }	5·44	5·10	4·54	5·55	4·63	·24	·26
							I.—4. *Parasitic.*							
9	6	7	7	6	35	424	1. Thrush, ...	·51	·34	·39	·39	·31	·02	·04
2	2	3	3	3	13	564	2. Worms, ...	·11	·11	·17	·17	·15	·01	·05
							II.—1. *Diathetic.*							
1	–	1	7	1	10	95	1. Gout, ...	·06	–	·05	·39	·05	·005	·01
292	313	296	234	244	1,379	17,867	2. Dropsy, ...	16·38	17 55	16·60	13·13	12·56	·725	1·64
139	155	147	150	168	759	2,858	3. Anæmia, . . .	7·79	8·69	8·24	8·41	8·65	·40	·26
949	987	1,026	1,000	1,087	5,109	19,294	4. Cancer.†	53·22	55·35	57·55	59 45	55·97	2·68	1·77
31	15	18	23	14	101	4,411	5. Noma (Canker), . .	1·74	·84	1·01	1 29	·72	·05	41
90	75	85	86	85	421	2,127	6. Mortification, . . .	5.05	4·21	4·77	4·82	4·38	·22	·20
							II.—2. *Tubercular.*							
123	96	105	97	104	525	4,602	1. Scrofula, . . .	6·90	5·38	5·89	5·44	5·35	·28	·42
692	715	735	786	809	3,737	14,320	2. Tabes Mesenterica, .	38·81	40·10	41·22	44 08	41·66	1·95	1·32
5,886	5,865	5,931	5,798	5,955	29,435	197,388	3. Phthisis (Con. of Lungs),	330·10	328·92	332·62	325·16	306·62	15·42	18·16
490	477	466	440	455	2,328	17,528	4. Hydrocephalus (T. Men.)	27·48	26·75	26·14	24·68	23·43	1·22	1·61

* Including "Fever," "Typhus Fever," "Continued Fever," and "Bilious Fever."

† Including Cancer of Stomach, Liver, Uterus, etc. See p. lxxiv.

TABLE X. — Continued.

DEATHS.							CAUSES OF DEATH.	DEATHS TO 100,000 POPULATION.					PERCENTAGE OF ALL DEATHS.	
1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.		1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.
							III. — 1. *Nervous System.*							
1,058	1,024	1,065	1,111	1,165	5,423	23,855	1. Cephalitis, . . .	59·33	57·43	59·72	62·31	59·99	2·84	2·20
718	706	784	857	1,003	4,068	14,800	2. Apoplexy, . . .	40·27	39·60	43·97	48·06	51·64	2·13	1·36
998	1,047	1,056	1,119	1,132	5,352	23,508	3. Paralysis, . . .	55·97	58·72	59·22	62·77	58·27	2·80	2·16
129	153	183	166	188	819	3,440	4 Insanity, . . .	7·23	8·58	15·27	9·31	9·68	·43	·32
6	3	6	4	11	30	123	5. Chorea, ...	·34	·17	·33	·22	·57	·02	·01
168	130	134	115	113	660	5,438	6 Epilepsy, . . .	9·42	7·29	7·52	6·45	5·82	·35	·50
18	58	34	22	17	149	658	7. Tetanus, ...	1·01	3·25	1·91	1·23	·88	·07	06
665	676	745	744	712	3,542	19,795	8. Convulsions, . . .	37·30	37·91	41·78	41·72	36·66	1·86	1·82
481	489	509	456	474	2,409	12,682	9. *Brain Diseases, etc.*, .	26·98	27·42	28·55	25·57	24·41	1·26	1·17
							III. — 2. *Organs of Circulation*							
121	102	116	109	102	550	1,286	1. Pericarditis, . . .	6·79	5·72	6·50	6·11	5·25	·29	·12
31	33	31	23	35	153	433	2. Aneurism, . . .	1·74	1·85	1·74	1·29	1·80	·08	·04
2,017	2,136	2,274	2,248	2,381	11,056	40,895	3. *Heart Diseases, etc.*, .	113·11	119·79	127·53	126·07	122·60	5·79	3·76
							III. — 3. *Respiratory Organs.*							
2	5	9	3	6	25	54	1. Epistaxis, . . .	·11	·28	·51	·17	·31	·02	·005
61	44	68	57	64	294	766	2. Laryngitis, . . .	3·42	2·47	3·82	3·20	3·29	·16	·07
843	867	934	949	1,131	4,724	12,025	3 Bronchitis, . . .	47·28	48·62	52·38	53·22	58·23	2·48	1·11
101	116	104	69	138	528	4,295	4. Pleurisy, . . .	5·67	6·51	5·83	3·87	7·11	·28	·395
2,967	2,932	3,045	2,646	3,468	15,058	68,995	5. Pneumonia, . . .	166·39	164·43	170·77	148·39	178·57	7·89	6·35
132	143	125	109	71	580	2,464	6. Asthma, ...	7·41	8·02	7·01	6·11	3·66	·30	·22
66	92	94	110	104	466	2,585	7. *Lung Diseases, etc.*, .	3·70	5·16	5·27	6·17	5·35	·24	·24

							III.—4 *Digestive Organs.*							
246	200	247	275	247	1,215	3,836	1. Gastritis, ...	13 80	11·22	13·85	15 42	12·72	·64	·35
456	528	523	549	608	2,664	12,601	2. Enteritis, ...	25·57	29·61	29·33	30·79	31·30	1 40	1·16
284	307	339	307	350	1,587	3,958	3. Peritonitis, ...	15·93	17·22	19·02	17·22	18·02	·83	36
26	24	20	18	29	117	465	4 Ascites, ...	1·46	1·35	1·12	1·01	1·49	·06	04
21	26	21	29	25	122	565	5. Ulceration of Intestines,	1·18	1·46	1·17	1·63	1·29	·06	·05
58	53	65	51	64	291	1,315	6. Hernia, ...	3·25	2·97	3·65	2·86	3·29	·15	·12
66	90	79	80	89	404	2,684	7. Ileus, ...	3·70	5·05	4·43	4·49	4·58	·21	·25
23	12	20	16	12	83	294	8. Intussusception, . .	1·29	·67	1·12	·90	·62	04	·03
20	11	13	17	17	78	199	9. Stricture of Intestines, .	1·12	·62	·73	·95	·88	·04	·02
2	5	7	8	6	28	116	10. Fistula, ...	·11	·28	·40	·45	·31	·02	·01
212	213	238	225	233	1,131	7,010	11. *Stomach Diseases, etc.*, .	11·89	11·94	13·35	13·18	12·00	·59	·65
2	7	4	4	5	22	31	12. *Pancreas Disease*, . .	·11	·39	·22	·22	·26	·01	·003
97	93	89	85	93	457	1,624	13. Hepatitis, ...	5·44	5·22	4·99	4·77	4·79	·24	·15
55	35	52	48	41	231	1.586	14. Jaundice, ...	3·08	1 96	2·92	2·69	2·11	·12	·15
151	213	248	265	246	1,123	6,667	15. *Liver Diseases, etc.*, .	8·47	11·94	13·91	14·86	12·67	·59	·61
8	2	4	2	3	19	71	16. *Spleen Diseases*, . .	·45	·11	·22	·11	·15	·01	·007
							III.—5. *Urinary Organs.*							
129	154	188	199	237	907	1,664	1. Nephritis, . .	7·23	8·64	10·54	11·16	12·21	·48	·15
8	13	2	11	9	43	195	2. Ischuria, ...	·45	·73	·11	·62	·46	·02	·02
563	571	582	619	647	2,982	6,734	3. Nephria (Bright's Dis.),	31·57	32·02	32·64	34·72	33·32	1·56	·62
90	110	101	99	116	516	2,004	4. Diabetes, ...	5 05	6·17	5 67	5·50	5 97	·27	·18
21	20	15	19	9	84	833	5. Calculus (Gravel, etc.), .	1·18	1·12	·84	1·07	·46	·04	·08
91	104	104	104	105	508	1,223	6. Cystitis, ...	5·10	5·83	5·83	5·83	5·41	·27	·11
151	175	217	214	244	1,001	4,341	7. *Kidney Diseases, etc*, .	8·47	9·82	12·17	12·00	12·56	·52	·40
							III.—6. *Generative Organs.*							
34	32	44	24	51	185	703	1. Ovarian Dropsy, . .	1·905	1·79	2·47	1·35	1·65	·10	·06
34	41	37	33	32	177	774	2. *Uterus Diseases, etc.*, .	1·905	2·30	2·07	1·85	2·62	·09	·08

TABLE X. — Concluded.

DEATHS.							CAUSES OF DEATH.	DEATHS TO 100,000 POPULATION.					PERCENTAGE OF ALL DEATHS.	
1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.		1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	Five Yrs. 1881-85.	Forty-four Yrs. and Eight Mos. end'g Dec. 31, 1885.
							III. — 7. *Organs of Locomotion.*							
4	6	2	4	7	23	208	1. Arthritis.. . . .	·22	·34	·11	·22	·36	·01	·02
106	141	172	124	109	652	3,499	2. Joint Diseases,* . .	5·95	7·91	9·65	6·96	5·61	·34	·32
							III. — 8. *Integument'ry System*							
86	50	70	70	83	359	1,902	1. Phlegmon, . . .	4 82	2·80	3·93	3·92	4·27	·19	·17
18	8	25	11	16	78	485	2. Ulcer, ...	·90	·45	1·40	·62	·82	·04	·05
16	13	23	19	26	97	932	3. *Skin Diseases, etc.*, . .	1·01	·73	1·29	1·07	1·35	·05	·08
							IV. — 1. *Dev. Dis. of Children.*							
1,466	1,485	1,589	1,628	1,589	7,757	39,243	1. Still-born, . . .	82·22	83·28	89·11	91·30	81·82	4·07	3·61
612	743	699	724	697	3,475	39,819	2. Infantile, Premature, etc.,†	34·32	41·67	39·20	40·61	35·89	1·82	3·67
67	79	88	86	119	439	1,225	3. Cyanosis, . . .	3·76	4·43	4·94	4·82	6·13	·23	·11
25	22	23	22	28	120	339	4. Spina Bifida, . . .	1·40	1·23	1·29	1·23	1·44	·06	·03
59	57	74	66	69	325	1,104	5. Other Malformations, .	3·31	3·20	4·15	3·70	3·55	·17	·10
193	172	127	142	129	763	10,566	6. Teething, . . .	10·82	9·65	7·12	7·97	6·64	·40	·97
							IV. — 2. *Dev. Dis. of Adults.*							
5	4	6	6	2	23	128	1. Paramenia, . . .	·28	·23	·34	·34	·10	·01	·01
227	211	213	173	206	1,030	8,229	2. Childbirth,‡ . . .	12·73	11·83	11·94	9·70	10 61	·54	·76
							IV. — 3. *Dev Diseases of Old People.*							
1,816	2,024	1,968	1,957	2,007	9,772	56,518	1. Old Age,. . . .	101·85	113·51	110·38	109·75	103·31	5·12	5·20

							IV — 4. *Dev Dis. of Nutrition.*							
770	733	879	834	753	3,969	13,706	1. Atrophy and Debility, .	43·18	41·11	49·29	46·77	38·77	2·08	1·26
							V. — 1. *Accid't or Negligence.*							
279	301	289	295	283	1,447		1. Fractures and Contus'ns,§	15·65	16·88	16·21	16·55	14·57	·76	
–	–	–	–	–	–		2. Wounds, ...	–	–	–	–	–	–	
101	107	106	112	110	536		3. Burns and Scalds, . .	5·67	5·99	5·95	6·28	5 67	·28	
48	52	41	41	49	231		4. Poison, . . .	2·69	2·92	2·30	2·30	2·52	·12	
276	355	448	426	295	1,800	37253	5. Drown'g (and Lost at Sea)	15·48	19·91	25·12	23·89	15·19	·94	3·43
78	64	90	112	90	434		6. Suffocat'n (and Strang'n),	4 37	3 59	5·04	6·28	4·63	·23	
50	74	81	51	52	308		7. Otherwise, . . .	2 80	4·15	4·54	2·86	2·68	·16	
409	428	443	391	377	2,048		8. Casualty,‖ . . .	22·94	24·00	24·84	21·93	19·41	1·07	
	–	–	–	–	–	1,246	V. — 2. *Battle*, . . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	·12
20	21	15	18	21	95	702	V. — 3. *Homicide*, . .	9·25	9·08	9·37	10·32	1 08	·05	·06
165	162	167	184	176	854	4,234	V. — 4. *Suicide*,¶ . .	–	–	–	–	9·06	·45	·39
–	–	–	–	–	–	18	V. — 5. *Execution*, . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
9	5	7	11	3	35	798	Sudden, cause unknown, .	·51	·28	·39	·61	·16	–	–
656	585	673	524	497	2,935	36,794	Causes not specified,** . .	36·79	32·81	37·75	29·38	25·59	–	–

* Including Disease of Spine and Hip Disease.
§ Including Railroad Accidents.
** Including deaths from "Hemorrhage," "Tumor," and "Inflammation."
† See note on page xcix.
‖ In preceding reports, until 1877, classed as V. — 6.
‡ Not including Metria (Puerperal Fever.)
¶ Totals: *manner* not stated.

TABLE XI. — *Causes of Death registered in Massachusetts*

Class	CAUSES OF DEATH.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.
	ALL CAUSES	22,019	21,523	21,715	24,130	25,102	23,948	28,654	29,579	27,011	24,683	23,779	26,653	27,148
	SPECIFIED CAUSES . .	21,521	21,069	21,266	23,563	24,393	23,249	27,931	28,850	26,340	24,105	23,301	25,189	25,713
	[CLASSES.]													
I.	ZYMOTIC DISEASES . .	6,016	5,400	5,416	6,088	6,765	6,569	9,429	9,505	8,211	5,856	5,505	6,862	6,891
II.	CONSTITUTIONAL . .	6,333	6,480	6,559	6,567	6,573	6,1[illegible]	6,042	6,652	6,541	6,422	6,129	6,299	6,569
III.	LOCAL	4,397	4,621	4,670	5,629	5,760	5,443	6,543	6,874	6,443	6,474	6,344	7,164	7,184
IV.	DEVELOPMENTAL . .	3,981	3,868	3,794	4,302	4,321	3,926	4,160	4,157	4,215	4,378	4,432	3,865	4,027
V.	VIOLENT DEATHS . .	794	700	827	977	974	1,192	1,157	1,662	930	975	891	999	1,042
	[ORDERS.]													
I.	1. MIASMATIC DISEASES	5,856	5,211	5,245	5,830	6,568	6,372	9,180	9,160	8,051	5,765	5,409	6,691	6,717
	2. ENTHETIC " . .	15	19	26	38	40	35	42	41	43	20	36	48	39
	3. DIETIC " . .	103	125	114	184	133	141	177	274	100	54	47	108	122
	4. PARASITIC " . .	42	45	31	36	24	21	30	30	17	17	13	15	13
II.	1. DIATHETIC " . .	970	1,008	1,062	1,048	1,054	1,023	1,088	1,046	1,077	1,092	1,046	1,142	1,173
	2. TUBERCULAR " . .	5,363	5,472	5,497	5,519	5,519	5,096	5,554	5,606	5,464	5,330	5,083	5,157	5,396
III.	1. DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM . .	1,722	1,811	1,730	2,039	2,101	2,042	2,241	2,557	2,383	2,334	2,286	2,605	2,576
	2. " ORGANS OF CIRCULATION . . .	601	590	607	730	768	734	840	792	847	876	891	1,020	947
	3. " RESPIRATORY ORGANS . . .	1,289	1,407	1,414	1,689	1,708	1,532	2,181	2,269	1,886	2,024	1,825	2,157	2,231
	4. " DIGESTIVE ORGANS	545	579	644	850	827	807	908	836	855	829	882	887	870
	5. " URINARY ORGANS .	116	119	135	145	169	174	205	197	259	222	276	303	351
	6. " ORGANS OF GENERATION . . .	7	16	15	40	34	39	36	45	40	31	41	46	29
	7. " ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION . .	69	62	77	75	89	69	67	98	99	83	78	83	90
	8. " INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM . .	48	37	48	61	64	46	65	80	74	75	65	63	90
IV.	1. DEVELOPMENTAL DIS. OF CHILDREN . .	2,458	2,456	2,349	2,819	2,849	2,522	2,453	2,454	2,557	2,686	2,771	1,958	2,065
	2. " ADULTS . .	197	182	206	238	217	149	157	169	160	201	196	211	254
	3. " OLD PEOPLE .	1,199	1,132	1,168	1,101	1,107	1,137	1,391	1,421	1,361	1,358	1,341	1,309	1,375
	4. DISEASES OF NUTRITION .	127	98	71	144	148	118	159	113	137	133	124	387	333
V.	1. ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE	670	599	726	845	854	783	822	953	764	890	801	893	924
	2. BATTLE	–	–	–	–	8	298	244	634	61	1	–	–	–
	3. HOMICIDE	27	18	18	19	19	18	24	10	27	11	15	16	25
	4. SUICIDE	97	82	83	113	92	92	67	65	78	73	75	88	92
	5. EXECUTION	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	1
	SUDDEN DEATHS, CAUSE UNASCERTAINED	16	14	20	19	29	38	32	28	21	18	25	31	23
	CAUSES NOT STATED, OR ILL-DEFINED	482	440	429	548	680	661	691	701	650	560	453	1,433	1,412

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1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	CAUSES.
28,348	29,333	36,302	35,158	33,356	36,352	34,460	32,596	32,564	33,062	36,589	37,924	38,270	39,337	38,618	39,683	ALL CAUSES.
26,998	28,043	34,845	33,856	32,218	35,335	33,461	31,686	31,727	32,287	35,839	37,259	37,680	38,657	38,083	39,183	SPECIFIED "
6,913	6,538	10,787	9,715	8,272	9,735	9,458	8,703	7,666	7,228	8,452	8,240	7,875	7,634	7,678	7,135	I. ZYMOT.
7,185	7,272	8,042	8,071	7,669	8,160	7,703	7,630	7,688	7,749	8,182	8,693	8,698	8,810	8,681	8,922	II. CONST.
7,559	8,166	9,622	9,479	9,804	10,818	10,073	9 668	10,549	11,530	13,145	13,660	14,013	14,867	14,456	16,074	III. LOCAL.
4,206	4,771	5,103	5,125	5,055	5,200	4,802	4,482	4,628	4,296	4,778	5,240	5,530	5,666	5,638	5,599	IV. DEV. DIS.
1,135	1,296	1,291	1,466	1,418	1,422	1,425	1,203	1,196	1,384	1,282	1,426	1,564	1,680	1,630	1,453	V. VIOL. D.
																I.
6,767	6,389	10,586	9,534	8,079	9,548	9,257	8,509	7,441	7,007	8,163	7,921	7,558	7,312	7,338	6,817	1. MIASMATIC.
47	38	37	49	53	63	78	107	116	126	137	155	154	172	187	168	2. ENTHETIC.
90	98	154	120	127	116	104	68	98	82	133	153	155	140	143	141	3. DIETIC.
9	13	10	12	13	8	19	19	11	13	19	11	8	10	10	9	4. PARASITIC.
																II.
1,306	1,313	1,149	1,411	1,264	1,286	1,324	1,249	1,366	1,452	1,427	1,502	1,545	1,573	1,560	1,599	1. DIATHETIC.
5,879	5,959	6,593	6,660	6,405	6,874	6,379	6,381	6,322	6,297	6,755	7,191	7,153	7,237	7,121	7,323	2. TUBERCUL.
																III.
2,776	2,855	3,618	3,332	3,201	3,380	3,280	3,242	3,451	3,571	4,081	4,241	4,286	4,516	4,594	4,815	1. NERV. SYST.
1,004	1,186	1,254	1,299	1,366	1,416	1,441	1,453	1,580	1,722	1,947	2,169	2,271	2,421	2,380	2,518	2. CIRCUL.
2,185	2,356	2,834	2,698	3,081	3,684	3,151	2,639	3,000	3,639	4,192	4,172	4,199	4,379	3,945	4,982	3. RESP'T.
987	1,069	1,182	1,241	1,290	1,397	1,310	1,358	1,398	1,437	1,705	1,727	1,819	1,969	1,989	2,068	4. DIGESTIVE.
392	470	467	599	609	648	626	701	820	885	931	1,053	1,147	1,209	1,265	1,367	5. URINARY.
40	40	48	50	58	69	69	70	80	79	82	68	73	81	57	83	6. GENERAT.
97	93	114	169	111	120	108	136	132	110	125	110	147	174	128	116	7. LOCOMOT.
78	97	105	91	88	104	88	69	88	87	82	120	71	118	100	125	8. INTEG.
																IV.
2,118	2,465	2,594	2,457	2,567	2,511	2,232	2,120	2,203	2,043	2,212	2,422	2,558	2,600	2,668	2,631	1. CHILDREN.
259	233	271	305	299	302	278	203	219	182	187	232	215	219	179	208	2. ADULTS.
1,444	1,554	1,664	1,762	1,549	1,732	1,661	1,586	1,596	1,597	1,693	1,816	2,024	1,968	1,957	2,007	3. AGED.
385	519	574	691	640	655	631	573	610	574	686	770	733	879	834	753	4. NUTRITION.
																V.
1,015	1,149	1,147	1,321	1,277	1,237	1,280	1,020	1,049	1,205	1,134	1,241	1,381	1,498	1,428	1,256	1. ACCIDENT.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2. BATTLE.
29	25	27	26	26	23	24	20	20	17	15	20	21	15	18	21	3. HOMICIDE.
91	122	117	117	115	159	119	163	126	161	133	165	162	167	184	176	4. SUICIDE.
-	-	-	2	-	3	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5. EXECUTION.
26	16	12	16	13	1	12	4	15	18	5	9	5	7	11	3	SUDDEN.
1,324	1,274	1,445	1,286	1,125	1,016	987	906	822	757	748	656	585	673	524	497	NOT STATED.

TABLE XI. — *Causes of Death registered,*

Class.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.
I.	ORDER 1.													
	1. Small-pox	23	12	255	334	33	40	42	242	221	141	196	20	59
	2. Measles	101	301	110	224	209	369	141	320	136	109	194	287	222
	3. Scarlatina	2,013	1,033	1,006	916	1,137	1,261	1,399	1,503	807	385	828	1,369	1,405
	4. Diphtheria	–	18	32	258	643	663	1,420	1,231	672	399	251	297	296
	5. Cerebro-spinal meningitis*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	6. Quinsy	49	51	42	37	70	44	32	43	24	8	13	17	15
	7. Croup	518	497	528	579	461	484	864	768	504	431	356	485	473
	8. Whooping-cough	280	347	357	203	406	254	295	235	363	287	297	247	320
	9. Typhoid Fever	1,010	901	932	937	989	1,135	1,442	1,344	1,694	1,091	965	896	1,205
	10. Erysipelas	137	147	148	178	201	120	174	186	148	142	144	159	176
	11. Metria (Puerperal Fever)	41	41	53	67	67	51	47	42	42	40	40	68	61
	12. Carbuncle	3	2	5	3	14	4	5	3	8	7	9	5	2
	13. Influenza	92	76	50	67	60	16	70	29	52	50	26	29	49
	14. Dysentery	715	752	612	441	532	479	1,156	1,186	1,548	949	658	685	456
	15. Diarrhœa	135	175	151	274	272	340	671	589	464	304	270	293	305
	16. Cholera Infantum	631	720	831	1,078	1,266	900	1,164	1,198	1,154	1,078	966	1,561	1,424
	17. Cholera	38	66	66	99	79	85	121	95	84	192	64	117	95
	18. Ague	9	7	6	6	1	17	24	9	10	12	13	12	5
	19. Remittent Fever	8	9	2	10	16	11	18	39	18	12	17	16	11
	20. Rheumatism	53	56	59	119	112	99	95	98	102	128	102	128	113
	ORDER 2.													
	1. Syphilis	14	12	19	29	37	31	35	37	38	17	31	36	34
	2. Stricture of Urethra	–	3	–	1	–	–	1	1	2	–	1	3	–
	3. Hydrophobia	1	2	3	2	–	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	–
	4. Glanders	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
	5. Malignant Pustule	–	1	3	6	3	4	5	2	3	3	3	9	4
	6. Septicæmia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	ORDER 3.													
	1. Privation	1	–	1	5	3	1	2	105	29	3	5	16	22
	2. Purpura and Scurvy	12	13	9	14	8	16	13	27	9	8	7	18	1[illegible]
	3. Del. Trem. } Alcoholism	27	23	26	59	42	45	61	49	26	14	13	23	27
	4. Intemp'nce } Alcoholism	63	89	78	106	80	79	101	93	36	29	22	51	54
	ORDER 4.													
	1. Thrush	20	29	18	20	14	8	10	4	4	2	1	2	4
	2. Worms	22	16	13	16	10	13	20	26	13	15	12	13	9
II.	ORDER 1.													
	1. Gout	–	1	2	1	4	3	2	3	–	1	1	1	2
	2. Dropsy	512	481	522	470	440	467	533	502	492	462	421	470	458
	3. Anæmia	36	56	49	49	111	64	67	82	68	77	66	70	67
	4. Cancer	242	289	306	335	336	319	324	330	375	416	395	445	492
	5. Noma (Canker)	137	138	144	144	119	129	109	93	100	96	110	113	113
	6. Mortification	43	43	39	49	44	41	53	36	42	40	53	43	39
	ORDER 2.													
	1. Scrofula	105	125	108	163	208	152	152	154	149	110	109	140	115
	2. Tabes Mesenterica	224	259	216	292	327	265	291	273	259	232	179	243	265
	3. Phthisis (Consumption)	4,625	4,574	4,704	4,557	4,522	4,269	4,667	4,733	4,661	4,600	4,362	4,457	4,658
	4. Hydrocephalus (Tuberc. Meningitis)	409	514	469	507	462	410	444	446	395	388	433	337	350
III.	ORDER 1.													
	1. Cephalitis	415	465	419	503	501	485	524	728	669	595	525	577	572
	2. Apoplexy	163	197	207	238	274	251	268	321	263	261	281	311	331
	3. Paralysis	331	369	375	402	417	401	471	473	479	487	469	630	607
	4. Insanity	58	62	59	71	61	66	62	64	75	106	111	91	87
	5. Chorea	2	1	1	5	2	1	5	1	3	4	4	4	1
	6. Epilepsy	138	110	130	180	176	143	161	166	106	113	124	134	130
	7. Tetanus	9	17	12	17	9	17	9	11	11	13	14	14	18
	8. Convulsions	421	438	336	396	398	447	467	453	482	465	477	479	479
	9. *Brain Diseases, &c.*	185	152	191	227	263	231	274	340	295	290	281	345	353
	ORDER 2.													
	1. Pericarditis	10	4	9	20	20	16	13	11	14	20	13	24	19
	2. Aneurism	2	4	3	2	6	7	6	7	7	11	5	12	16
	3. *Heart Diseases, &c.*	589	582	595	708	742	711	821	774	826	845	873	984	918

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1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	CAUSES.
																I.—ORDER 1.
131	295	1,029	668	26	34	32	26	3	8	38	47	45	5	3	19	1. Small-pox.
269	131	428	180	161	233	47	135	305	19	236	250	68	321	75	318	2. Measles.
683	867	1,377	1,472	1,382	1,684	1,222	467	404	850	574	397	318	575	627	587	3. Scarlatina
242	274	273	310	502	1,200	2,610	2,634	1,934	1,734	1,769	1,706	1,280	1,091	1,084	1,003	4. Diphtheria
-	-	-	747	242	170	107	143	78	121	122	157	166	169	161	140	5. Cer. Sp. M.
8	11	11	7	19	30	14	12	16	12	15	18	21	36	15	26	6. Quinsy.
434	473	480	435	411	680	684	544	583	559	625	677	491	539	562	529	7. Croup.
330	243	363	264	449	242	192	369	400	302	230	217	265	137	410	184	8. Wh. Cough
1,333	1,116	1,703	1,406	1,147	1,059	881	814	679	637	882	1,072	1,079	860	875	768	9. Typh. Fev.
129	201	212	235	216	237	209	181	168	245	212	253	252	261	191	212	10. Erysipelas.
66	49	65	98	101	99	80	55	53	107	96	116	126	127	111	89	11. Metrit.
4	8	5	8	8	8	6	12	7	12	14	14	15	10	12	16	12. Carbuncle.
36	33	34	35	48	58	48	29	22	45	22	15	22	23	8	20	13. Influenza.
471	389	564	435	366	437	417	580	602	372	395	360	398	336	254	253	14. Dysentery.
457	344	464	353	398	413	335	343	365	370	480	458	488	516	522	459	15. Diarrhœa.
1,914	1,718	3,254	2,553	2,322	2,606	2,087	1,927	1,573	1,349	2,118	1,861	2,159	1,941	2,081	1,852	16. Ch. Infant.
107	96	137	106	95	94	91	60	68	77	116	68	136	84	108	86	17. Cholera.
11	7	12	15	6	16	2	3	7	5	21	11	25	48	11	27	18. Ague.
6	7	15	12	7	11	7	9	17	17	24	18	17	27	20	29	19. Rem. Fev.
136	127	160	195	173	217	186	166	157	166	174	226	187	215	208	213	20. Rheumat.
																ORDER 2.
37	32	27	35	46	43	46	58	71	71	55	64	61	57	62	38	1. Syphilis.
3	1	3	9	3	4	3	2	3	3	6	4	2	9	4	2	2. Strict.
2	-	-	-	-	-	4	14	15	5	3	3	-	-	-	-	3. Hydropho.
-	2	4	2	-	2	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	4. Glanders.
5	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	2	2	3	4	-	3	2	1	5. Mal. Pust.
-	-	-	-	-	11	19	30	25	45	68	80	91	103	119	126	6. Septicæm.
																ORDER 3.
2	1	1	-	1	6	-	1	1	1	1	6	4	-	-	-	1. Privation.
13	9	19	11	19	23	18	15	32	13	20	24	25	27	18	19	2. P. & Scur.
27	30	45	30	32	15	15	13	16	20	32	26	35	32	26	32	3. Del. Trem.
48	58	89	79	75	72	71	39	49	48	80	97	91	81	99	90	4. Intemp.
																ORDER 4.
1	1	1	2	5	3	9	11	6	7	7	9	6	7	7	6	1. Thrush.
8	12	9	10	8	5	10	8	5	6	12	2	2	3	3	3	2. Worms.
																II.—ORDER 1.
4	1	-	1	3	2	3	4	4	1	1	1	-	1	7	1	1. Gout.
491	527	618	545	469	474	445	412	370	380	271	292	313	296	231	244	2. Dropsy.
77	83	79	79	76	70	86	76	98	110	121	189	155	147	150	168	3. Anæmia.
516	551	542	611	585	593	657	646	807	862	928	949	987	1,026	1,060	1,087	4. Cancer.
172	102	154	137	94	99	72	52	41	25	22	32	15	18	23	11	5. Noma.
46	49	56	38	37	48	61	59	46	74	84	90	75	85	86	85	6. Mortifica.
																ORDER 2.
105	149	121	122	108	121	103	99	100	124	118	123	96	105	97	104	1. Scrofula.
363	333	470	522	578	568	552	421	458	511	604	692	715	735	786	809	2. Tabes Mes.
5,003	5,070	5,556	5,556	5,284	5,738	5,327	5,457	5,334	5,223	5,494	5,886	5,865	5,931	5,798	5,955	3. Consump.
408	407	446	460	435	447	397	404	430	439	539	490	477	466	440	455	4. Hydroceph.
																III.—ORDER 1.
601	620	1,031	742	709	694	635	597	779	730	920	1,058	1,024	1,065	1,111	1,165	1. Cephalitis.
394	390	409	431	433	460	507	544	562	663	746	718	706	784	857	1,063	2. Apoplexy.
630	714	791	858	775	896	826	873	895	932	933	998	1,047	1,056	1,119	1,132	3. Paralysis.
103	89	103	88	100	118	146	112	153	118	142	129	153	183	166	188	4. Insanity.
1	3	6	7	6	3	4	4	4	9	3	6	3	6	4	11	5. Chorea.
134	121	146	123	134	135	127	110	101	118	126	168	130	134	115	113	6. Epilepsy.
19	18	18	12	24	19	20	20	12	10	23	18	58	34	22	17	7. Tetanus.
527	522	658	629	595	607	597	568	542	589	686	645	676	745	744	712	8. Convul.
367	378	456	442	425	448	418	414	403	402	502	481	489	509	456	474	9. *Brain Dis.*
																ORDER 2.
15	19	16	28	39	44	49	44	49	85	104	121	102	116	109	102	1. Pericard.
8	12	15	13	25	12	17	12	22	29	21	31	33	31	23	35	2. Aneurism.
981	1,155	1,223	1,258	1,302	1,360	1,375	1,397	1,509	1,608	1,822	2,017	2,136	2,274	2,248	2,381	3. *Heart Dis.*

TABLE XI. — *Causes of Death registered,*

Class	CAUSES OF DEATH.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.
III.	**ORDER 3.**													
	1. Epistaxis	–	–	–	–	3	2	–	3	2	–	1	–	1
	2 Laryngitis	1	1	4	15	18	7	11	14	15	7	15	10	13
	3. Bronchitis	39	39	41	110	188	185	197	194	179	202	208	141	239
	4. Pleurisy	115	122	126	119	119	102	128	143	88	92	94	100	93
	5. Pneumonia	1,075	1,174	1,167	1,333	1,285	1,140	1,724	1,801	1,493	1,639	1,378	1,651	1,7 6
	6. Asthma	22	38	30	50	42	44	58	53	58	37	55	75	67
	7. *Lung Diseases, &c.*	37	33	46	62	53	52	63	61	51	47	74	80	82
	ORDER 4.													
	1. Gastritis	26	34	84	50	88	67	87	77	93	63	79	81	54
	2. Enteritis	189	202	252	276	239	231	234	271	242	240	255	232	225
	3. Peritonitis	13	16	22	56	45	34	71	54	65	65	77	67	72
	4. Ascites	3	8	3	19	12	23	14	22	21	17	8	15	18
	5. Ulceration of Intestines	11	2	14	23	13	14	24	13	14	23	17	24	25
	6. Hernia	11	25	8	30	40	30	20	25	53	30	31	29	45
	7. Ileus	74	63	54	70	50	72	82	63	67	68	51	73	64
	8. Intussusception	2	–	3	5	1	4	5	2	3	5	6	4	9
	9. Stricture of Intestines	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	3	5	7
	10. Fistula	1	2	3	2	–	1	6	1	–	2	6	1	2
	11. *Stomach Diseases, &c.*	56	59	62	108	106	111	104	87	76	83	112	103	93
	12. *Pancreas Disease*	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
	13. Hepatitis	9	5	12	31	40	35	48	45	41	53	46	38	37
	14. Jaundice	27	26	22	35	35	29	45	26	37	31	46	34	45
	15. *Liver Diseases, &c.*	121	134	153	143	157	153	166	150	141	146	143	159	173
	16. *Spleen Diseases, &c.*	2	3	1	–	1	3	1	–	2	1	2	2	1
	ORDER 5.													
	1. Nephritis	5	4	8	8	16	8	13	36	16	15	14	22	13
	2. Ischuria	7	7	4	4	10	8	8	3	1	3	2	6	8
	3. Nephria (Bright's Disease)	3	3	2	5	14	13	33	13	55	34	54	76	125
	4. Diabetes	23	35	35	38	35	36	45	31	52	31	55	43	50
	5. Calculus (Gravel, &c.)	32	21	29	14	11	12	18	15	16	20	24	20	30
	6. Cystitis	8	9	9	16	12	14	21	7	11	28	21	20	18
	7. *Kidney Diseases, &c.*	38	40	48	60	71	83	67	92	108	91	106	116	107
	ORDER 6.													
	1. Ovarian Dropsy	1	7	5	21	17	18	19	22	21	12	16	23	15
	2. *Uterus Diseases, &c.*	6	9	10	19	17	21	17	23	19	19	25	23	14
	ORDER 7.													
	1. Arthritis	12	18	1	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	.	5
	2. *Joint Diseases, &c.*	57	44	76	74	87	69	67	98	99	83	76	83	85
	ORDER 8.													
	1. Phlegmon	35	20	36	41	38	25	39	56	48	54	51	42	66
	2. Ulcer	11	11	7	13	18	14	20	10	15	15	8	14	11
	3. *Skin Diseases, &c.*	2	6	5	7	8	7	6	14	11	6	6	7	13
IV.	**ORDER 1.**													
	1. Still-born	739	747	739	1,062	1,017	974	903	856	859	1,046	1,007	1,050	1,094
	2. Infantile, Premature, &c.	1,326	1,314	1,280	1,359	1,446	1,227	1,259	1,293	1,338	1,378	1,451	627	665
	3. Cyanosis	9	28	27	19	25	20	19	26	26	12	17	20	20
	4. Spina Bifida	1	3	4	13	5	4	6	3	6	8	6	7	6
	5. Other Malformations	3	11	5	25	35	12	10	25	13	22	15	20	26
	6. Teething	380	353	294	341	321	285	256	251	315	220	275	234	254
	ORDER 2.													
	1. Paramenia	1	3	3	9	5	6	2	4	–	5	3	3	3
	2. Childbirth	196	179	203	229	212	143	155	165	160	196	193	208	251
	ORDER 3.													
	1. Old Age	1,199	1,132	1,168	1,101	1,107	1,137	1,391	1,421	1,361	1,358	1,341	1,209	1,375
	ORDER 4.													
	1. Atrophy and Debility	127	98	71	144	148	148	118	113	137	133	124	387	333

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1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	CAUSES.
																ORDER 3.
–	–	–	1	1	4	1	5	4	2	2	2	5	9	3	6	1. Epistaxis.
12	17	16	23	25	24	29	11	26	35	57	61	44	68	57	64	2. Laryngitis.
259	272	287	328	395	433	428	397	548	690	780	843	867	934	949	1,131	3. Bronchitis.
75	90	81	90	103	103	86	82	80	90	98	101	116	104	69	138	4. Pleurisy.
1,718	1,858	2,295	2,097	2,386	2,940	2,247	1,972	2,171	2,647	3,076	2,967	2,932	3,045	2,646	3,468	5. Pneumo.
66	61	96	93	110	103	86	112	111	90	107	132	143	125	109	71	6. Asthma.
55	58	59	66	61	77	74	60	57	85	72	66	92	94	110	104	7. *Lung Dis.*
																ORDER 4.
90	93	109	123	134	161	143	132	151	175	218	246	200	247	275	247	1. Gastritis.
288	334	358	379	367	370	357	395	388	392	492	456	528	523	549	608	2. Enteritis.
86	69	100	102	129	155	123	126	164	226	270	284	307	339	307	350	3. Peritonitis.
13	11	15	12	8	11	21	17	10	25	20	26	24	20	18	29	4. Ascites.
14	20	27	14	24	18	22	18	23	19	21	21	26	21	29	25	5. Ulc. Intest.
39	34	36	35	41	50	43	43	51	44	46	58	53	65	51	64	6. Hernia.
89	97	94	81	73	85	80	81	71	81	67	66	90	79	80	89	7. Ileus.
3	3	4	3	5	11	8	11	7	8	13	23	12	20	16	12	8. Intus.
11	5	8	11	6	6	10	8	16	6	16	20	11	13	17	17	9. Str. Intest.
4	5	5	8	9	4	2	7	3	5	3	2	5	7	8	6	10. Fistula.
89	119	123	132	148	194	157	177	186	156	211	212	213	238	235	233	11. *Stom. Dis.*
–	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	1	–	1	2	7	4	4	5	12. *Pan. Dis.*
33	38	56	57	62	51	55	65	77	73	97	97	93	89	85	93	13. Hepatitis.
34	41	42	48	47	49	57	44	39	51	54	55	35	52	48	41	14. Jaundice.
194	200	205	234	235	228	227	232	207	176	170	151	213	248	265	246	15. *Liver Dis.*
–	–	–	1	2	3	4	1	4	6	6	8	2	4	2	3	16. *Spleen Dis.*
																ORDER 5.
19	14	23	22	31	30	47	67	86	107	111	129	154	188	199	237	1. Nephritis.
3	5	5	4	9	5	9	3	8	4	12	8	13	2	11	2	2. Ischuria.
140	199	223	271	299	293	308	329	383	435	441	563	571	582	619	647	3. (Br. Dis.)
55	33	53	60	63	78	47	73	83	73	83	90	110	101	99	116	4. Diabetes.
20	23	11	30	21	15	18	27	17	16	13	21	20	15	19	9	5. Calculus.
19	21	13	32	38	27	41	52	78	81	100	91	104	104	104	105	6. Cystitis.
136	175	139	180	148	200	156	150	165	169	171	151	175	217	214	244	7. *Kidney Dis.*
																ORDER 6.
17	27	27	26	22	34	30	22	40	27	46	34	32	44	24	51	1. Ov. Drop.
23	13	21	24	36	35	39	48	40	52	36	34	41	37	33	32	2. *Uter. Dis.*
																ORDER 7.
2	3	3	–	1	4	3	–	4	2	3	4	6	2	4	7	1. Arthritis.
95	90	111	169	110	116	105	136	128	108	122	106	141	172	124	109	2. *Joint Dis.*
																ORDER 8.
60	70	82	73	56	69	57	40	66	66	48	86	50	70	70	83	1. Phlegmon.
10	13	14	11	22	18	15	20	14	11	18	18	8	25	11	16	2. Ulcer.
8	14	9	7	10	17	16	9	8	10	16	16	13	23	19	26	3. *Skin Dis.*
																IV.—ORDER 1.
1,019	1,390	1,283	1,246	1,469	1,374	1,274	1,254	1,261	1,261	1,297	1,466	1,485	1,589	1,628	1,589	1. Still-born.
737	741	876	774	720	721	586	519	578	492	597	612	743	699	724	697	2. Inf. Prem.
24	30	40	45	42	38	42	38	62	72	68	67	79	88	86	119	3. Cyanosis.
5	9	10	7	12	12	25	14	16	13	21	25	22	23	22	28	4. Spina Bif.
25	35	18	37	38	41	32	36	60	54	45	59	57	74	66	69	5. Malform.
308	260	367	348	286	325	273	259	226	151	184	193	172	127	142	129	6. Teething.
																ORDER 2.
7	4	4	4	6	4	2	5	5	8	4	5	4	6	6	2	1. Paramenia.
252	229	267	301	293	298	276	198	214	174	183	227	211	213	173	206	2. Childbirth.
																ORDER 3.
1,444	1,554	1,664	1,672	1,549	1,732	1,661	1,586	1,596	1,597	1,693	1,816	2,024	1,968	1,957	2,007	1. Old Age.
																ORDER 4.
385	519	574	691	640	655	631	573	610	574	686	770	733	879	834	753	1. Atr. & Deb.

TABLE XI. — *Causes of Death registered,*

Class.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868	1869.
V.	ORDER 1. (ACCIDENT OF NEGLIGENCE.)													
	1. Fractures and Contusions .	11	47	62	67	94	82	84	141	136	134	136	157	168
	2. Wounds. . . .	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	3. Burns and Scalds . .	73	90	100	104	109	135	102	137	97	96	75	70	83
	4. Poison	17	22	13	18	18	24	29	26	19	24	23	25	26
	5. Drowning (and Lost at Sea)	245	210	273	258	331	197	276	283	186	222	247	231	283
	6. Suffocation (and Strangulation)	9	16	17	30	23	20	19	30	23	28	18	29	30
	7. Otherwise	80	19	25	21	35	35	43	33	33	90	33	98	25
	8. "Casualty"	235	195	236	347	244	290	269	303	270	296	269	283	309
	ORDER 2.													
	1. Battle	–	–	–	–	8	298	244	634	61	1	–		–
	ORDER 3.													
	1. Homicide	27	18	18	19	19	18	24	10	27	11	15	16	25
	ORDER 4.													
	1. Suicide	97	82	83	113	92	92	67	65	73	73	75	88	92
	ORDER 5.													
	1. Execution	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	1
	Sudden, cause unascertained,	16	14	20	19	29	38	32	28	21	18	25	31	23
	Causes not specified . .	482	440	429	548	683	661	691	701	650	560	453	1,433	1,412

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1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884	1885.	CAUSES.
																V.—ORDER 1. (ACCIDENT.)
178	224	180	198	178	191	194	221	222	215	243	279	301	289	295	283	1. Fr. & Cont.
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2. Wounds.
89	101	93	88	84	171	98	83	79	88	80	101	107	106	112	110	3. Burns.
26	29	26	30	45	23	33	38	40	38	48	48	52	41	41	49	4. Poison.
306	346	299	432	436	330	475	260	299	461	251	276	355	448	426	295	5. Drowning.
27	25	39	37	35	54	45	40	59	67	74	78	64	90	112	90	6. Suffocation.
61	32	95	43	35	53	74	27	70	36	47	50	74	81	51	52	7. Otherwise.
328	392	415	493	464	415	361	351	280	300	391	409	428	443	391	377	8. Casualty.
																ORDER 2.
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1. Battle.
																ORDER 3.
29	25	27	26	26	23	24	20	20	17	15	20	21	15	18	21	1. Homicide.
																ORDER 4.
91	122	117	117	115	159	119	163	126	161	133	165	162	167	184	176	1. Suicide.
																ORDER 5.
–	–	–	2	–	3	2	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1. Execution.
26	16	12	16	13	1	12	4	15	18	5	9	5	7	11	3	Suddenly.
1,324	1,274	1,445	1,286	1,125	1,016	987	906	822	757	745	656	585	673	524	497	Not Stated.

Table XII. — DEATHS IN EACH TOWN FROM SPECIAL CAUSES IN 1885.

The State and Counties.	Population in 1885.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Cerebro-Sp. Meningitis.	Whooping Cough.	Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Metria (Puerperal Fever).	Childbirth.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Cholera Morbus.	Cholera Infantum.	Phthisis (Consumption).	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Apoplexy.	Accident.	Homicide.	Suicide.
MASSACHUSETTS,	1,942,141	19	313	587	1,523	140	184	768	212	99	206	253	450	86	1,852	5,955	3,468	1,131	1,003	1,241	21	176
Barnstable,	29,845	–	3	–	2	3	5	8	4	–	5	7	3	2	8	85	43	12	14	15	–	1
Berkshire,	73,828	4	8	13	118	6	8	24	3	4	11	7	4	4	72	174	135	26	46	33	–	11
Bristol,	158,498	4	33	20	111	14	14	61	20	11	19	29	29	5	171	452	274	109	106	84	3	12
Dukes and Nantucket,	7,277	–	–	1	7	–	1	5	1	–	2	1	4	–	6	17	9	2	10	4	–	–
Essex,	263,727	1	13	61	162	9	34	101	22	9	20	28	37	5	222	846	411	78	131	196	3	13
Franklin,	37,449	–	5	11	3	4	1	14	4	5	2	10	5	1	17	89	64	7	15	30	–	3
Hampden,	116,764	–	19	59	75	11	14	69	17	2	9	16	18	10	153	293	213	50	64	78	1	8
Hampshire,	48,472	–	2	17	14	10	3	24	3	2	5	5	13	1	37	116	57	13	27	22	–	5
Middlesex,	357,311	1	39	112	267	27	30	134	31	23	21	44	68	12	329	1,008	643	167	162	195	3	33
Norfolk,	102,142	1	5	37	31	5	7	45	16	3	2	7	11	3	70	279	154	31	46	60	2	15
Plymouth,	81,680	–	5	34	53	4	3	24	8	6	9	5	17	2	48	251	104	29	47	31	–	6
Suffolk,	421,109	5	151	189	480	28	47	157	49	19	83	60	199	27	491	1,650	938	513	230	340	7	46
Worcester,	244,039	3	30	33	200	19	17	102	34	15	18	34	42	14	228	695	423	94	105	153	2	23

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BARNSTABLE COUNTY,	29,845	-	3	-	2	3	5	8	4	-	5	7	3	2	8	85	43	12	14	15	-	1
Barnstable,	4,050	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	3	7	5	2	1	2	-	-
Bourne,	1,363	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	1	-	1
Brewster,	934	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-
Chatham,	2,028	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	2	2	4	-	-	-
Dennis,	2,923	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	7	6	-	1	-	-	-
Eastham,	638	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	3	-	1	-	-	-
Falmouth,	2,520	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	5	8	-	2	2	-	-
Harwich,	2,783	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	12	2	-	-	-	-	-
Mashpee,	311	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Orleans,	1,176	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	1	1	1	1	-	-
Provincetown,	4,480	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	12	6	1	2	5	-	-
Sandwich,	2,124	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	9	-	-	1	-	-	-
Truro,	972	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	2	3	1	-	-	-
Wellfleet,	1,687	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	6	1	3	-	3	-	-
Yarmouth,	1,856	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	-
BERKSHIRE COUNTY,	73,828	4	8	13	118	6	8	24	3	4	11	7	4	4	72	174	135	26	46	33	-	11
Adams,	8,283	4	1	1	16	1	1	2	1	-	-	1	3	-	13	21	8	4	2	-	-	2
Alford,	341	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
Becket,	938	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	1	2	-	-
Cheshire,	1,448	-	-	2	3	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	6	3	-	1	-	-	-
Clarksburg,	708	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	-	1
Dalton,	2,113	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	1	-	-	-	2	6	8	2	2	1	-	-
Egremont,	826	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida,	487	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
Great Barrington,	4,471	-	-	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	4	13	1	3	2	-	-
Hancock,	613	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hinsdale,	1,656	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	2	-	-	-
Lanesborough,	1,212	-	3	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	3	3	-	-	-
Lee,	4,274	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	6	11	3	-	1	3	-	-

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Berkshire County — Con.																						
Lenox,	2,154	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7	1	1	1	-	1
Monterey,	571	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	-	-	1	-	-
Mount Washington,	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Ashford,	163	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
New Marlborough,	1,661	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	3	-	-	-
North Adams,	12,540	-	-	2	38	-	1	9	-	-	1	1	-	2	16	35	35	1	-	4	-	3
Otis,	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Peru,	368	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Pittsfield,	14,466	-	1	1	12	5	2	2	1	1	2	2	-	2	19	40	20	8	16	12	-	2
Richmond,	854	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Sandisfield,	1,019	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Savoy,	691	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Sheffield,	2,033	-	-	-	8	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	1	3	-	-	-
Stockbridge,	2,114	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	4	5	2	3	-	-	-
Tyringham,	457	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington,	470	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
West Stockbridge,	1,618	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	1	-	-	-	-	1
Williamstown,	3,729	-	1	-	12	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	-	-	3	8	3	-	3	3	-	1
Windsor,	657	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
BRISTOL COUNTY,	158,498	4	33	20	111	14	14	61	20	11	19	29	29	5	171	452	274	109	106	84	3	12
Acushnet,	1,071	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	3	2	1	-	-	-
Attleborough,	13,175	-	1	1	13	2	-	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	12	25	20	-	12	15	-	2
Berkley,	941	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Dartmouth,	3,448	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	8	2	4	1	1	-	-
Dighton,	1,782	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	1	3	1	-	-
Easton,	3,948	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	7	4	4	4	2	-	-
Fairhaven,	2,880	-	-	-	6	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	6	-	6	-	-	-
Fall River,	56,870	4	6	11	29	1	8	32	10	8	2	7	15	2	93	207	99	65	21	27	-	3
Freetown,	1,457	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Mansfield,	2,939	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	7	-	3	-	-	-
New Bedford,	33,393	-	22	1	19	6	4	7	3	-	9	3	-	-	33	98	76	16	32	14	1	3
Norton,	1,718	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	4	10	-	1	2	-	-

Raynham,	1,535	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	-	1	-	-	1
Rehoboth,	1,788	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	4	3	-	-	-	-	-
Seekonk,	1,295	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	1	1	-	-	-
Somerset,	2,475	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	9	-	1	1	4	-	-
Swanzey,	1,403	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	2	-	1	-
Taunton,	23,674	-	-	3	18	2	-	9	3	3	3	14	11	1	14	57	31	11	16	18	-	3
Westport,	2,706	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	6	7	2	1	-	1	-
DUKES AND NANTUCKET COUNTIES,	7,277	-	-	1	7	-	1	5	1	-	2	1	4	-	6	17	9	2	10	4	-	-
Chilmark,	412	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cottage City,	709	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-
Edgartown,	1,165	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	3	1	-	-
Gay Head,	186	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gosnold,	122	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tisbury,	1,541	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	-	1	1	-	-
Nantucket,	3,142	-	-	-	6	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	4	-	6	7	5	1	5	1	-	-
ESSEX COUNTY,	263,727	1	13	61	162	9	34	101	22	9	20	28	37	5	222	846	411	78	131	196	3	13
Amesbury,	4,403	-	-	-	12	-	1	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	8	20	5	4	2	1	-	-
Andover,	5,711	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	4	7	6	-	3	4	-	-
Beverly,	9,186	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	10	33	11	2	3	2	-	1
Boxford,	840	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	-
Bradford,	3,106	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	3	-	1	1	1	-
Danvers,	7,061	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	2	2	1	2	6	-	4	29	8	3	2	1	-	2
Essex,	1,722	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	11	1	-	-	1	-	-
Georgetown,	2,299	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	18	2	-	-	3	-	-
Gloucester,	21,703	-	2	8	18	-	4	7	2	-	-	-	5	1	13	57	29	6	14	76*	-	1
Groveland,	2,272	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	11	4	-	-	3	-	-
Hamilton,	851	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haverhill,	21,795	1	-	10	20	-	1	13	-	-	1	3	2	-	28	62	36	7	11	14	1	1
Ipswich,	4,207	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	6	16	4	1	2	-	-	-
Lawrence,	38,862	-	4	9	23	1	16	17	3	1	5	5	5	2	44	163	67	17	11	26	1	2
Lynn,	45,867	-	3	10	35	-	6	16	3	2	3	5	12	-	35	146	70	10	21	27	-	1
Lynnfield,	766	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-
Manchester,	1,639	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-
Marblehead,	7,517	-	-	-	5	-	-	5	2	-	1	1	-	-	5	20	11	4	8	4	-	-
Merrimac,	2,378	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	4	4	-	1	1	-	-
Methuen,	4,507	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	3	18	9	1	1	1	-	-
Middleton,	899	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	-
Nahant,	637	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	2	-	-

* 58 Lost at Sea.

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Essex County—Con.																						
Newbury,	1,590	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	5	-	1	1	-	-
Newburyport,	13,716	-	-	2	7	-	-	4	-	1	1	1	1	-	6	45	12	3	10	3	-	1
North Andover,	3,425	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	3	1	1	-	-
Peabody,	9,530	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	29	19	1	5	6	-	1
Rockport,	3,888	-	-	-	3	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	14	12	2	4	-	-	-
Rowley,	1,183	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	1	-	-	-
Salem,	28,090	-	1	10	21	2	2	13	2	1	3	4	1	1	30	82	54	10	15	9	-	3
Salisbury,	4,840	-	-	3	1	2	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	4	13	5	2	3	2	-	-
Saugus,	2,855	-	1	1	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	7	3	1	3	1	-	-
Swampscott,	2,471	-	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	8	2	1	-	2	-	-
Topsfield,	1,141	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-
Wenham,	871	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	-	2	-	-	-
West Newbury,	1,899	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	6	5	-	3	-	-	-
FRANKLIN COUNTY,	37,449	-	5	11	3	4	1	14	4	5	2	10	5	1	17	89	64	7	15	30	-	3
Ashfield,	1,097	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	-	1	-	-	1
Bernardston,	930	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	2	1	1	1	-	-
Buckland,	1,760	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	6	1	1	-	2	-	-
Charlemont,	958	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	-	-	1	-	-
Colrain,	1,605	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-
Conway,	1,573	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	6	1	-	2	-	-
Deerfield,	3,042	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	6	11	2	-	3	-	-
Erving,	873	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Gill,	860	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	-
Greenfield,	4,869	-	3	6	1	-	-	2	-	-	1	5	-	-	4	10	5	-	1	3	-	-
Hawley,	545	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Heath,	568	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leverett,	779	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	-
Leyden,	447	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	1	-	-
Monroe,	176	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Montague,	5,629	-	-	-	-	2	1	3	1	3	-	1	1	-	5	16	5	1	1	2	-	-
New Salem,	832	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	4	-	-	-	-	-
Northfield,	1,705	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	4	4	-	1	2	-	-

Orange,	3,650	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-		1	10	7	-	1	2	-	-
Rowe,	582	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Shelburne,	1,614	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	2	-	2
Shutesbury,	485	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Sunderland,	700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Warwick,	662	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	-
Wendell,	509	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Whately,	999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	3	-	-
HAMPDEN COUNTY,	116,764	-	19	59	75	11	14	69	17	2	9	16	18	10	153	293	213	50	64	78	1	8
Agawam,	2,357	-	4	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	3	3	-	2	1	-	1
Blandford,	954	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-
Brimfield,	1,137	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Chester,	1,318	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	1	1	-	-
Chicopee,	11,516	-	12	4	7	1	-	9	-	-	-	5	3	1	19	48	24	12	9	9	-	1
Granville,	1,193	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	-
Hampden,	868	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Holland,	229	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Holyoke,	27,895	-	1	10	26	1	12	18	4	-	4	3	12	3	56	69	40	19	8	19	1	1
Longmeadow,	1,677	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	2	1	-	1
Ludlow,	1,649	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	2	-	2	1	-	-
Monson,	3,958	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	10	8	1	2	4	-	-
Montgomery,	278	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Palmer,	5,923	-	1	-	3	-	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	5	15	-	1	6	-	-
Russell,	847	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Southwick,	982	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-
Springfield,	37,575	-	-	33	27	1	1	22	8	2	1	6	-	5	43	103	77	13	24	21	-	2
Tolland,	422	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	-
Wales,	853	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Westfield,	8,961	-	-	5	2	1	1	5	-	-	1	-	-	1	13	21	17	3	4	5	-	2
West Springfield,	4,448	-	1	3	5	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	5	9	12	2	4	4	-	-
Wilbraham,	1,724	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	3	-	-
HAMPSHIRE COUNTY,	48,472	-	2	17	14	10	3	24	3	2	5	5	13	1	37	116	57	13	27	22	-	5
Amherst,	4,199	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	7	3	3	8	-	-	-
Belchertown,	2,307	-	1	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	-	3	1	-	-
Chesterfield,	698	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Cummington,	805	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	2	2	1	-	-	-
Easthampton,	4,291	-	-	2	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	4	-	5	10	1	-	3	2	-	2
Enfield,	1,010	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	-
Goshen,	336	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-

TABLE XII. — *Deaths in each Town from Special Causes in 1885.*

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Population in 1885.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Cerebro Sp. Meningitis.	Whooping Cough.	Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Metria (Puerperal Fever).	Childbirth.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Cholera Morbus.	Cholera Infantum.	Phthisis (Consumption).	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Apoplexy.	Accident.	Homicide.	Suicide.
Hampshire County — Con.																						
Granby,	729	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-
Greenwich,	532	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Hadley,	1,747	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	7	2	-	-	2	-	-
Hatfield,	1,367	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	1	-	1
Huntington,	1,267	-	-	2	4	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	-	-
Middlefield,	513	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-
Northampton,	12,896	-	-	6	7	2	-	2	1	-	1	1	2	-	8	33	18	2	5	5	-	1
Pelham,	549	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plainfield,	453	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Prescott,	448	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
South Hadley,	3,949	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	8	5	1	-	-	1
Southampton,	1,025	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	1	-	-
Ware,	6,003	-	-	4	-	-	-	5	2	-	-	1	6	-	6	17	5	1	1	-	-	-
Westhampton,	541	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-
Williamsburg,	2,044	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	4	6	6	-	1	-	-	-
Worthington,	763	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
MIDDLESEX COUNTY,	357,311	1	39	112	267	27	30	134	31	23	21	44	68	12	329	1,008	643	167	162	195	3	33
Acton,	1,785	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	3	-	-	1	-	1
Arlington,	4,673	-	-	11	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	10	7	-	1	3	-	1
Ashby,	871	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	1	2	-	1
Ashland,	2,633	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	5	11	1	-	-	-	1
Ayer,	2,190	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	1	-	-	1	-	1
Bedford,	930	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	1	1	-	-	-
Belmont,	1,639	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	3	3	1	-	2	-	1
Billerica,	2,161	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	-	1	1	-	-
Boxborough,	348	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burlington,	604	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-
Cambridge,	59,658	-	8	22	81	-	6	16	4	3	1	5	16	2	56	185	148	49	27	22	1	6
Carlisle,	526	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
Chelmsford,	2,304	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	6	7	-	-	1	-	2
Concord,	3,727	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	7	1	4	4	-	2
Dracut,	1,927	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	2	-	-	-

Dunstable,	431	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Everett,	5,825	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	2	1	1	1	13	10	3	-	4	-	-	
Framingham,	8,275	-	-	2	7	1	2	3	1	-	-	-	2	1	6	18	22	4	3	2	-	1	
Groton,	1,987	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	2	-	-	
Holliston,	2,926	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	4	1	-	2	2	-	-	
Hopkinton,	3,922	-	2	-	2	1	3	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	1	19	1	1	2	1	-	-	
Hudson,	3,968	-	-	-	-	4	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	5	6	5	2	1	7	-	-	
Lexington,	2,718	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	4	-	1	2	1	-	
Lincoln,	901	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	
Littleton,	1,067	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	
Lowell,	64,107	-	7	18	71	6	1	49	7	3	6	5	9	-	126	196	85	26	33	44	-	6	
Malden,	16,407	-	-	1	6	1	-	4	-	2	-	2	3	2	7	39	19	7	3	5	-	1	
Marlborough,	10,941	-	-	1	-	3	2	4	2	3	-	2	-	-	13	36	17	3	1	1	-	-	
Maynard,	2,703	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	6	8	3	2	1	1	-	-	
Medford,	9,042	-	-	4	2	-	1	3	-	1	-	1	1	-	8	17	8	5	7	3	-	-	
Melrose,	6,101	-	-	3	3	-	1	2	-	1	-	3	1	-	4	17	10	-	4	4	-	-	
Natick,	~~6,180~~	-	-	-	1	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	6	-	2	19	21	4	4	10	-	-	
Newton,	19,759	-	5	3	4	2	-	8	-	-	-	2	1	-	9	40	24	6	6	9	-	1	
North Reading,	878	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	
Pepperell,	2,587	-	-	1	5	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	5	5	1	1	1	-	-	
Reading,	3,539	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	3	8	3	-	-	2	-	-	
Sherborn,	1,391	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	4	1	2	2	-	-	-	
Shirley,	1,242	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	2	1	-	-	-	
Somerville,	29,971	-	3	15	33	2	5	10	3	1	2	1	3	-	17	94	84	13	12	15	-	4	
Stoneham,	5,659	-	-	1	11	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	-	6	19	8	1	4	2	-	-	
Stow,	976	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	
Sudbury,	1,165	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Tewksbury,	2,333	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	5	2	-	-	1	-	-	
(*State Almshouse*),	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	3	1	-	2	-	12	3	2	43	7	4	5	1	-	-	
Townsend,	1,846	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	1	-	6	-	-	1	
Tyngsborough,	604	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	
Wakefield,	6,000	-	1	2	12	1	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	4	14	7	4	7	3	-	-	
Waltham,	14,609	-	3	4	2	-	1	3	1	1	2	-	1	-	19	43	24	7	4	6	1	1	
Watertown,	6,238	-	4	-	12	-	-	4	-	-	1	1	1	-	5	15	16	5	2	5	-	1	
Wayland,	1,946	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	4	-	-	1	-	-	
Westford,	2,793	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	2	-	1	-	-	
Weston,	1,427	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	1	-	-	2	-	-	
Wilmington,	991	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	5	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Winchester,	4,390	-	-	3	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	10	10	2	4	4	-	-	
Woburn,	11,750	-	3	5	8	1	-	2	-	4	-	6	1	-	6	39	26	5	6	10	-	-	
NORFOLK COUNTY,	102,142	1	5	37	31	5	7	45	16	3	2	7	11	3	70	279	154	31	46	60	2	15	
Bellingham,	1,198	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	
Braintree,	4,040	-	-	3	1	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	2	-	7	7	5	1	3	4	-	1	

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Norfolk County — Con.																						
Brookline,	9,196	-	-	2	1	1	1	2	2	-	1	2	1	2	10	16	16	3	4	7	-	-
Canton,	4,380	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	22	4	1	2	-	-	3
Cohasset,	2,216	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	1	1	1	-	-	-
Dedham,	6,641	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	17	7	-	1	2	-	2
Dover,	664	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Foxborough,	2,814	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8	3	1	2	1	1	-
Franklin,	3,983	-	-	-	1	-	4	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	6	-	3	1	-	-
Holbrook,	2,334	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	4	-	-	1	-	-
Hyde Park,	8,376	-	-	4	2	-	1	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	21	6	4	4	8	-	1
Medfield,	1,594	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	1	1	-	-
Medway,	2,777	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	2	-	4	9	3	2	2	2	-	1
Millis,	683	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Milton,	3,555	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	3	2	3	1	-	-
Needham,	2,586	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	6	1	-	1	-	3
Norfolk,	825	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-
Norwood,	2,921	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	7	1	-	-	1	-	1
Quincy,	12,145	-	-	6	1	-	1	6	-	2	1	-	2	-	6	34	25	1	6	11	-	1
Randolph,	3,807	-	1	-	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	8	1	2	1	-	-
Sharon,	1,328	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8	3	-	2	5	1	-
Stoughton,	5,173	-	1	3	1	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	5	14	10	4	1	4	-	-
Walpole,	2,443	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	6	-	2	1	-	1
Wellesley,	3,013	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	9	6	-	-	-	-	1
Weymouth,	10,740	-	1	15	11	2	-	6	-	1	-	2	-	-	8	55	13	7	5	6	-	-
Wrentham,	2,710	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	8	1	1	2	-	-
PLYMOUTH COUNTY,	81,680	-	5	34	53	4	3	24	8	6	9	5	17	2	48	251	104	29	47	31	-	6
Abington,	3,699	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	14	4	4	2	1	-	-
Bridgewater,	3,827	-	-	1	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	3	-	3	22	7	1	6	-	-	1
Brockton,	20,783	-	-	7	11	3	-	3	2	-	1	1	1	-	22	72	25	7	10	3	-	4
Carver,	1,091	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Duxbury,	1,924	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	1	-	-	-
East Bridgewater,	2,812	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	4	2	-	-	-	-
Halifax,	530	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-

Hanover,	1,966	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	1	7	4	-	3	2	-	-
Hanso ,	1,227	-	-	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	3	-	2	-	-	-
Hingham,	4,375	-	-	4	2	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	14	2	3	6	3	-	1
Hull,	451	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	1	-	-
Kingston,	1,570	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	-	-	-	-
Lakeville,	980	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Marion,	965	-	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Marshfield,	1,649	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	3	1	1	-	-	-
Mattapoisett,	1,215	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	3	1	-	2	1	-	-
Middleborough,	5,163	-	-	-	8	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	4	15	11	2	-	2	-	-
Pembroke,	1,313	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	5	1	-	1	1	-	-
Plymouth,	7,239	-	-	4	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	2	-	4	16	8	1	6	8	-	-
Plympton,	600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Rochester,	1,021	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rockland,	4,785	-	-	7	1	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	3	-	1	12	4	1	1	2	-	-
Scituate,	2,350	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	9	3	1	2	2	-	-
South Abington,	3,595	-	-	2	6	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	3	9	1	-	3	-	-	-
South Scituate,	1,589	-	1	-	5	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	2	1	-	-	-	-
Wareham,	3,254	-	1	1	3	-	1	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	7	3	1	-	4	-	-
West Bridgewater,	1,707	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	3	-	-	1	-	-
SUFFOLK COUNTY,	421,109	5	151	189	480	28	47	157	49	19	83	60	199	27	491	1,650	938	513	230	350	7	46
Boston,	390,393	5	150	158	460	23	42	148	49	19	79	49	182	24	455	1,573	872	498	218	340	7	45
Chelsea,	25,709	-	1	30	16	5	5	8	-	-	4	4	8	2	30	69	64	13	9	8	-	1
Revere,	3,637	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	1	1	1	5	1	2	2	2	-	-
Winthrop,	1,370	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	-	5	3	1	-	1	-	-	-
WORCESTER COUNTY,	244,039	3	30	33	200	19	17	102	34	15	18	34	42	14	228	695	423	94	105	153	2	23
Ashburnham,	2,058	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	7	-	1	-	2	-	1
Athol,	4,758	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	10	5	-	4	2	1	-
Auburn,	1,268	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	9	1	-	-	3	-	1
Barre,	2,093	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	2	-	3	-	-
Berlin,	899	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	1	1	-	-
Blackstone,	5,436	1	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	18	4	-	2	7	-	-
Bolton,	876	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	-
Boylston,	834	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-
Brookfield,	3,013	-	-	1	1	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	3	-	1	3	-	-
Charlton,	1,823	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	3	9	1	2	1	-	1
Clinton,	8,945	-	4	1	7	2	-	1	2	-	-	1	4	-	10	34	21	2	3	7	-	-
Dana,	695	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-
Douglas,	2,205	-	3	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	5	10	3	-	-	1	-	-

TABLE XII. — *Deaths in each Town from Special Causes in 1885.*

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Population in 1885.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Cerebro-Sp. Meningitis.	Whooping Cough.	Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Metria (Puerperal Fever).	Childbirth.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Cholera Morbus.	Cholera Infantum.	Phthisis (Consumption).	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Apoplexy.	Accident.	Homicide.	Suicide.
Worcester County — Con.																						
Dudley,	2,742	-	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	1	2	1	2	8	2	-	1	4	-	-
Fitchburg,	15,375	-	1	7	2	-	1	5	1	1	1	1	4	1	26	41	30	4	3	15	-	1
Gardner,	7,283	-	4	-	5	-	1	2	2	-	1	-	2	1	7	15	11	1	4	2	-	-
Grafton,	4,498	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	5	16	11	-	1	2	-	-
Hardwick,	3,145	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	2	-	2	2	2	-	1	1	-	1
Harvard,	1,184	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	4	-	-	-	-	-
Holden,	2,471	2	-	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	-	2	-	-	-
Hubbardston,	1,303	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	1	-	-
Lancaster,	2,050	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	5	12	2	3	1	-	-
Leicester,	2,923	-	-	4	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	12	4	1	4	2	-	-
Leominster,	5,297	-	-	1	3	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	20	11	3	4	3	-	3
Lunenburg,	1,071	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	-	1	-	-
Mendon,	945	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	1	-	-
Milford,	9,343	-	8	1	8	2	1	2	2	-	1	1	1	1	3	40	27	11	7	3	-	1
Millbury,	4,555	-	-	2	7	-	1	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	9	17	4	2	2	4	-	-
New Braintree,	558	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northborough,	1,853	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	-
Northbridge,	3,786	-	1	1	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	14	5	-	5	6	-	2
North Brookfield,	4,201	-	1	2	1	1	-	4	2	-	1	1	-	-	7	17	4	2	-	-	-	2
Oakham,	749	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	6	-	-	1
Oxford,	2,355	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	9	5	-	2	2	-	-
Paxton,	561	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Petersham,	1,032	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	-	3	-	-	-
Phillipston,	530	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Princeton,	1,038	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Royalston,	1,153	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	4	-	-	1	-	-
Rutland,	963	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	5	-	-	-	1	-	-
Shrewsbury,	1,450	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Southborough,	2,100	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	-	-	1	-	-	1
Southbridge,	6,500	-	1	-	-	2	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	6	21	14	3	1	2	-	-
Spencer,	8,247	-	4	-	11	-	-	9	-	1	-	2	4	-	2	31	10	6	1	3	-	-
Sterling,	1,331	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	1
Sturbridge,	1,980	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	4	5	7	-	-	-	-	-
Sutton,	3,101	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	1	2	-	-	7	4	9	-	1	2	-	1
Templeton,	2,627	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	7	5	2	-	-	-	-

Upton,	2,265	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	9	-	-	2	-	-
Uxbridge,	2,948	-	-	2	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	18	9	-	-	2	-	-
Warren,	4,032	-	-	-	2	-	-	4	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	6	4	-	2	2	-	-
Webster,	6,220	-	1	-	4	-	-	6	-	1	-	2	4	-	5	17	5	1	4	2	-	-
Westborough,	4,880	-	-	3	2	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	14	3	1	3	-	-	-
West Boylston,	2,927	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	8	3	-	-	-	-	-
West Brookfield,	1,747	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	3	4	-	2	2	-	-
Westminster,	1,556	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	8	8	-	5	1	-	-
Winchendon,	3,872	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	9	8	-	1	5	-	-
Worcester,	68,389	-	-	1	112	4	3	19	9	7	6	4	12	8	96	158	114	46	20	48	1	6

Table XIII. — OCCUPATIONS.

Distinguishing by Occupations (statistically classified) the Number, with their Average and Aggregate Ages, of Persons in the State (in two geographical divisions) whose Occupations were specified, and whose Deaths were registered, during the year 1885; also in the State (entire) during the period of Forty-two Years and Eight Months, ending with December 31, 1885. [This table includes only persons over twenty years of age.]

Occupations.	Nine Eastern Counties. 1885.			Five Western Counties. 1885.			Whole State. Forty-two Years and Eight Months. From May 1, 1843, to Dec. 31, 1885.		
	Number of Persons.	Ages. Aggregate.	Ages. Average.	Number of Persons.	Ages. Aggregate.	Ages. Average.	Number of Persons.	Ages. Aggregate.	Ages. Average.
All Classes and Occupations,	6,265	336,731	53·75	2,256	127,928	56·71	229,897	11,912,252	51·82
I. Cultivators of the Earth,	704	49,691	70·58	640	44,579	69·65	46,182	3,061,254	66·29
II. Active Mechanics Abroad,	520	30,080	57·85	137	8,322	60·74	17,371	944,016	53·34
III. Active Mechanics in Shops,	873	44,765	51·28	336	17,496	52·07	28,208	1,376,659	79·25
IV. Inactive Mechanics in Shops,	891	43,480	48·80	238	11,210	47·10	28,459	1,292,878	45·43
V. Laborers — No Special Trades,	1,160	61,256	52·81	371	21,618	58·27	43,716	2,144,867	49·06
VI. Factors Laboring Abroad,	334	15,841	47·43	87	4,012	46·11	10,776	424,114	39·36
VII. Employed on the Ocean,	324	18,805	58·04	4	253	63·22	12,394	601,940	48·57
VIII. Merchants, Financiers, Agents, Etc.	915	46,942	51·30	193	9,651	50·00	27,098	1,344,049	49·60
IX. Professional Men,	251	14,337	57·11	69	3,878	56·20	8,306	433,002	52·13
X. Females,	293	11,534	39·37	181	6,909	38·17	7,387	289,473	39·19

I. Cultivators of the Earth,	704	49,691	70·58	640	41,579	69·65	46,182	3,061,254	66·29
II. Active Mechanics Abroad,	520	30,080	57·85	137	8,322	60·74	17,371	944,016	54·34
Brickmakers,	10	601	60·10	3	142	47·33	159	7,904	49·71
Carpenters and joiners,	282	16,421	58·23	92	5,639	61·29	9,761	537,437	55·06
Calkers and gravers,	8	447	55·87	–	–	–	281	16,554	58·91
Masons,	89	5,258	59·08	32	2,014	62·94	2,889	154,068	53·33
Millwrights,	6	447	74·50	–	–	–	188	11,361	60·43
Riggers,	8	518	64·75	–	–	–	237	13,164	55·54
Ship-carpenters,	38	2,586	68 05	–	–	–	1,305	80,079	61·36
Slaters,	7	289	41·29	1	30	30 00	159	6,629	41·69
Stone-cutters,	58	2,623	45·24	6	269	44·83	1,678	79,171	41·22
Tanners,	14	890	63·57	3	228	76·00	714	37,649	52·73
III. Active Mechanics in Shops,	873	44,765	51·28	336	17,496	52 07	28,208	1,376,659	48·80
Bakers,	26	1,406	54·08	6	317	52·83	751	36,922	49·16
Blacksmiths,	70	4,234	60·49	22	1,309	59·50	3,615	199,211	55·11
Brewers,	2	94	47 00	–	–	–	63	2,844	45·14
Cabinet-makers,	42	2,348	55·90	10	660	66·00	1,250	63,327	50·66
Calico-printers,	1	78	78·00	1	37	37·00	16	942	58·87
Cardmakers,	1	49	49·00	1	65	65·00	52	2,622	50·42
Carriage makers and trimmers,	17	1,003	59·00	6	392	65·33	479	24,848	51·87
Chairmakers,	2	57	28·50	9	485	53·89	234	10,878	46·49
Clothiers,	4	247	61·75	–	–	–	119	6,813	57·25
Confectioners,	9	366	40·67	–	–	–	171	7,758	45·37
Cooks,	14	580	41·43	2	95	47·50	243	9,932	40·87
Coopers,	25	1,458	58·32	4	281	70·25	1,299	77,790	59·88
Coppersmiths,	4	236	59·00	–	–	–	150	6,913	46·09

TABLE XIII. — Continued.

OCCUPATIONS.	NINE EASTERN COUNTIES. 1885.			FIVE WESTERN COUNTIES. 1885.			WHOLE STATE. Forty-two Years and Eight Months. From May 1, 1843, to Dec. 31, 1885.		
	Number of Persons.	AGES.		Number of Persons.	AGES.		Number of Persons.	AGES.	
		Aggregate.	Average.		Aggregate.	Average.		Aggregate.	Average.
Curriers,	72	3,444	47 83	8	535	66·87	951	43,542	45·79
Cutlers,	5	251	50·21	6	230	38·33	218	9,159	42·01
Distillers,	1	70	70·00	–	–	–	36	2,116	58·78
Dyers,	7	382	54·57	4	264	66·00	269	13,088	48·65
Founders,	35	1,732	49 49	16	784	49·00	764	34,246	44·82
Furnace-men,	1	82	82·00	–	–	–	175	8,099	46·28
Glassblowers or glassmakers,	6	320	53·33	1	72	72·00	202	8,405	41·61
Gunsmiths,	3	196	65·33	7	428	61·14	306	15,407	50 35
Hatters,	14	752	53·71	3	180	60·00	530	28,921	54·55
Leather-dressers,	19	799	42·05	–	–	–	354	16,592	46 88
Machinists,	107	5,105	47 71	49	2,273	46·39	3,761	163,488	43·47
Millers,	4	264	66·00	3	221	73·67	386	22,656	58·69
Musical-instrument makers,	–	–	–	–	–	–	61	3,004	49·25
Nailmakers,	22	1,171	53·23	–	–	–	279	12,763	45·75
Pail and tub makers,	–	–	–	–	–	–	7	293	41·86
Painters,	127	6,197	48·80	41	2,007	48·95	3,561	162,984	45·77
Paper-makers,	5	326	65·20	13	549	42 23	463	22,527	48·65
Pianoforte-makers,	18	1,042	57·89	1	64	64·00	210	10,144	48·30
Plumbers,	24	887	–	5	268	53·60	303	11,012	36·34
Potters,	–	–	–	–	–	–	65	3,771	58 02
Pump and block makers,	1	78	78 00	–	–	–	124	7,221	58·23
Reedmakers,	1	43	43·00	–	–	–	18	827	45·94
Ropemakers,	13	904	69·54	–	–	–	371	22,265	60·01
Tallow-chandlers,	–	–	–	–	–	–	115	6,526	56·75

Tinsmiths,	16	814	50·87	5	280	56·00	640	27,489	42·95
Trunkmakers,	2	80	40·00	–	–	–	78	3,150	40·38
Upholsterers,	19	938	49·37	1	39	39·00	287	11,760	40·98
Weavers,	44	1,900	43·18	22	944	42·91	971	43,351	44·65
Wheelwrights,	23	1,489	64·74	6	382	63·67	738	43,912	59·50
Wood-turners,	5	183	36·60	4	181	45·25	154	7,629	49·54
Mechanics (trade not specified),	62	3,160	50·97	80	4,154	51·93	3,369	159,512	47·35
IV. Inactive Mechanics in Shops,	891	43,480	48·80	238	11,210	47·10	28,459	1,292,878	45·43
Barbers,	19	653	34·37	11	410	37·27	772	30,368	39·34
Basket-makers,	3	184	61·33	–	–	–	109	6,575	60·32
Bookbinders,	5	203	40·60	1	39	39·00	258	11,239	43·56
Brushmakers,	8	485	60·62	4	238	59·50	96	4,547	47·36
Carvers,	6	240	40·00	2	125	62·50	141	5,301	37·60
Cigar-makers,	10	440	44·00	6	214	35·66	306	12,174	39·78
Clock and watch makers,	12	657	54·75	1	51	51·00	205	10,551	51·47
Combmakers,	3	176	58·63	4	263	65·75	222	12,007	54·09
Engravers,	7	313	44·71	1	47	47·00	200	7,948	39·74
Glass-cutters,	5	220	44·00	–	–	–	124	5,505	44·40
Harness-makers,	17	784	46·12	5	287	57·40	676	33,801	50·00
Jewellers,	33	1,512	45·82	6	261	43·50	782	32,546	41·62
Operatives,	197	8,878	45·07	76	3,059	40·25	4,662	192,462	41·28
Printers,	41	1,627	39·67	5	265	53·00	1,243	50,443	40·58
Sailmakers,	9	587	65·22	–	–	–	310	17,103	55·17
Shoe-cutters,	52	2,627	50·52	2	125	62·50	795	37,309	47·06
Shoemakers,	402	20,674	51·43	94	4,817	51·24	14,802	685,994	46·34
Silversmiths or goldsmiths,	4	172	43·00	1	52	52·00	140	6,802	48·59
Tailors,	51	2,776	54·43	12	628	52·33	2,174	109,122	50·19
Tobacconists,	4	151	37·75	–	–	–	61	3,075	50·41
Whipmakers,	–	–	–	4	219	54·75	143	6,364	44·50
Wool-sorters,	3	121	40·33	3	110	36·67	238	11,642	48·92

TABLE XIII. — Continued.

OCCUPATIONS.	NINE EASTERN COUNTIES. 1885.			FIVE WESTERN COUNTIES. 1885.			WHOLE STATE. Forty-two Years and Eight Months. From May 1, 1843, to Dec. 31, 1885.		
	Number of Persons.	AGES. Aggregate.	AGES. Average.	Number of Persons.	AGES. Aggregate.	AGES. Average.	Number of Persons.	AGES. Aggregate.	AGES. Average.
V. LABORERS — *No Special Trades*,	1,160	61,256	52·81	371	21,618	58·27	43,716	2,144,867	49·06
Laborers,	1,118	59,117	52·88	367	21,394	58·29	42,532	2,090,992	49·16
Servants,	18	668	37·11	1	28	28·00	624	24,430	39·15
Stevedores,	3	215	71·67	–	–	–	123	6,650	54·07
Watchmen,	21	1,256	59·81	3	196	65·33	410	21,785	53·13
Workmen in powder-mills,	–	–	–	–	–	–	27	1,010	37·41
VI. FACTORS LABORING ABROAD, ETC.,	334	15,841	47·43	87	4,012	46·11	10,776	424,114	39·36
Baggage-masters,	2	61	30·50	3	116	38·67	72	2,610	36·25
Brakemen,	22	644	29·27	13	370	28·46	509	13,804	27·12
Butchers,	23	1,266	55·04	8	417	52·12	888	44,846	50·50
Chimney-sweepers,	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	138	34·50
Drivers,	33	1,502	45·52	3	119	39·67	681	27,483	40·36
Drovers,	1	26	26·00	–	–	–	28	1,437	51·32
Engineers and firemen,	61	2,968	48·66	16	665	41·56	1,170	48,634	41·57
Expressmen,	20	1,018	50·90	1	42	42·00	448	19,793	44·18
Ferrymen,	–	–	–	–	–	–	11	564	51·27
Lighthouse keepers,	–	–	–	–	–	–	24	1,446	60·25
Peddlers,	25	1,347	53·88	16	791	49·44	770	37,176	48·28
Sextons,	8	565	70·62	1	69	69·00	149	8,942	60·01
Soldiers,	6	287	47·83	–	–	–	2,926	83,668	28·59

Stablers,	33	1,499	45·42	14	747	53·36	651	29,210	44·66
Teamsters,	99	4,585	46·31	12	676	56·33	2,370	100,281	42·31
Weighers and gaugers,	–	–	–	–	–	–	39	2,251	57·72
Wharfingers,	1	73	73·00	–	–	–	33	1,831	55·48
VII. Employed on the Ocean,	324	18,805	58·09	4	253	63·22	12,394	601,940	48·57
Fishermen,	63	2,863	45·44	–	–	–	965	42,814	44·37
Marines,	–	–	–	–	–	–	11	488	44·36
Naval officers,	3	174	58·00	–	–	–	90	4,754	52·82
Pilots,	6	392	65·33	–	–	–	122	7,519	61·63
Seamen,	252	15,376	61·02	4	253	63·22	11,206	546,365	48·76
VIII. Merchants, Financiers, Agents, Etc.	915	46,943	51·29	193	9,651	50·00	27,098	1,344,050	49·60
Agents,	37	2,109	57·00	13	660	50·77	752	38,068	50 62
Bankers,	9	538	59·78	3	178	59·33	103	6,152	59·73
Bank officers,	6	401	66·83	–	–	–	243	13,875	57·10
Boarding-house keepers,	5	307	61·40	–	–	–	127	6,410	50 47
Booksellers,	3	161	53·67	1	68	68·00	104	5,694	54·75
Brokers,	23	1,366	59·39	2	101	50·50	382	19,915	52·13
Clerks and book-keepers,	232	8,912	38·41	52	1,600	30·77	6,449	234,419	36 35
Druggists and apothecaries,	18	1,012	56·22	3	119	39·67	487	21,361	43·86
Gentlemen,	38	2,724	71·68	6	489	81·50	1,993	137,263	68·87
Grocers,	48	2,598	54 21	2	86	43·00	1,019	49,725	48 80
Innkeepers,	22	1,250	56·82	13	799	61·46	734	37,895	51 63
Manufacturers,	39	2,526	64·77	20	1,232	61·60	2,219	121,887	54·92
Merchants,	164	10,079	61·46	36	2,129	59·14	6,200	349,980	56·45
Newsdealers or carriers,	7	314	44 86	1	26	26·00	76	3,327	43·78
Railroad agents or conductors,	18	825	45·83	5	211	42·20	561	23,160	41 28
Saloon and restaurant keepers,	61	2,435	39·90	11	578	52 55	832	33,863	40 70

TABLE XIII. — Concluded.

OCCUPATIONS.	NINE EASTERN COUNTIES. 1885.			FIVE WESTERN COUNTIES. 1885.			WHOLE STATE. Forty-two Years and Eight Months. From May 1, 1834, to Dec. 31, 1885.		
	Number of Persons.	AGES.		Number of Persons.	AGES.		Number of Persons.	AGES.	
		Aggregate.	Average.		Aggregate.	Average.		Aggregate.	Average.
Stove dealers,	1	52	52·00	–	–	–	26	1,234	47·46
Telegraphers,	5	138	27·60	3	82	27·33	59	1,768	29·97
Traders,	179	9,596	53·61	22	1,293	58·77	4,732	238,454	50·39
IX. PROFESSIONAL MEN,	251	14,337	57·12	69	3,878	56·20	8,306	433,002	52·13
Actors,	3	158	52·67	–	–	–	68	2,868	42·18
Architects,	4	173	43·25	2	110	55·00	71	3,282	46·23
Artists,	4	258	64·50	–	–	–	306	13,895	45·41
Civil engineers,	4	161	40·25	1	35	35·00	188	8,255	43·91
Clergymen,	40	2,582	64·55	18	1,099	61·05	1,560	94,082	60·31
Dentists,	6	330	55·00	2	60	30·00	193	8,775	45·47
Editors and reporters,	9	483	53·67	–	–	–	187	8,696	46·50
Judges and justices,	5	323	64·60	–	–	–	46	3,044	66·17
Lawyers,	28	1,523	54·39	6	390	65·00	1,017	57,373	56·41
Musicians,	14	779	55·64	3	115	38·33	419	18,072	43·13
Photographers,	4	196	49·00	1	63	63·00	66	2,890	43·79
Physicians,	48	2,927	60·98	21	1,410	67·14	1,804	101,939	56·51
Professors,	2	134	67·00	–	–	–	68	3,974	58·44
Public officers,	23	1,433	62·30	2	127	63·50	637	35,952	56·44
Sheriffs, constables and policemen,	31	1,743	56·23	1	37	37·00	407	21,287	52·30
Students,	12	278	23·17	7	172	24·57	460	10,890	23·67

Surveyors,	3	210	70 00	–	–	–	125	6,762	54·10
Teachers,	11	646	58·73	5	260	52·00	694	30,966	44·62
X. Females,	293	11,534	39·37	181	6,909	38·17	7,387	289,473	39·19
Domestics,	73	2,942	40·30	47	1,990	42·34	1,990	87,781	44·11
Dressmakers,	30	1,349	44·97	12	488	40 67	595	25,197	42 35
Milliners,	5	214	42·80	3	150	50·00	230	9,764	42·45
Nurses,	23	1,492	64·87	8	498	62·25	291	18,223	62·62
Operatives,	92	2,901	31·53	69	2,261	32 77	2,237	66,466	29·71
Seamstresses,	13	616	47 38	7	351	50·00	476	22,493	47·25
Shoe-binders,	5	132	26·40	–	–	–	89	3,273	36·78
Straw-workers,	4	163	40·75	6	224	37·37	123	4,315	35·08
Tailoresses,	6	335	55·83	1	50	50 00	353	18,252	51·71
Teachers,	40	1,327	33 17	28	897	32 03	985	33,216	33·72
Telegraphers,	2	63	31·50	–	–	–	18	493	27.39

TABLE XIV. — GENERAL ABSTRACT FOR THE TWENTY-ONE YEARS, 1865–85.

Exhibiting the Number of Births, Marriages and Deaths, registered in the several Counties and Towns of Massachusetts for the Twenty-one Years, 1865–85, distinguishing the Sex of Children born and of Persons who died in each Town, and the Average Age of those deceased in each County, during the period specified.

The State and Counties.	Births.				Marriages.	Deaths.				Average Ages for 21 Years, 1865–85.
	Persons.	Sex.			Couples.	Persons.	Sex.			
		Males.	Fem.	Unk.			Males.	Fem.	Unk.	
MASSACHUSETTS, .	872,452	447,754	423,751	956	317,658	664,385	330,472	333,336	577	32.62
Barnstable, .	13,131	6,764	6,338	29	6,034	11,639	5,893	5,695	51	43.14
Berkshire, .	34,596	17,771	16,775	50	10,975	23,210	11,559	11,591	60	34.93
Bristol, . .	66,574	34,200	32,273	101	24,888	52,241	26,009	26,189	43	31.06
Dukes, . .	1,196	605	580	11	718	1,552	840	709	3	49.27
Essex, . .	112,460	57,725	54,619	116	44,765	89,184	44,324	44,777	83	31.58
Franklin, .	13,971	7,233	6,712	26	5,875	11,765	5,799	5,935	31	41.46
Hampden, . .	50,974	26,102	24,812	60	19,123	37,095	18,359	18,701	35	28.27
Hampshire, .	20,654	10,685	9,951	18	8,076	16,612	8,060	8,529	23	37.19
Middlesex, .	156,376	80,290	75,839	247	55,608	116,957	57,363	59,523	71	30.36
Nantucket, .	1,191	628	560	3	677	2,190	1,044	1,144	2	51.96
Norfolk, . .	49,303	25,282	23,963	58	15,243	33,872	16,754	17,092	26	34.65
Plymouth, .	30,662	15,900	14,720	42	12,403	25,420	12,787	12,582	51	40.23
Suffolk, . .	208,828	106,608	102,204	16	75,476	163,873	82,485	81,368	20	26.02
Worcester, .	112,536	57,952	54,405	179	37,797	78,775	39,196	39,501	78	32.53

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	Persons.	Sex.			Couples.	Persons.	Sex.		
		Males.	Fem.	Unk.			Males.	Fem.	Unk.
BARNSTABLE COUNTY,	13,131	6,764	6,338	29	6,034	11,639	5,893	5,695	51
Barnstable,	1,369	652	706	11	809	1,430	683	743	4
Bourne,*	39	24	15	-	16	36	15	21	-
Brewster,	477	259	217	1	217	460	235	224	1
Chatham,	951	484	467	-	434	858	429	428	1
Dennis,	1,402	710	692	-	678	1,212	619	590	3
Eastham,	233	131	102	-	108	250	137	113	-
Falmouth,	758	384	373	1	367	916	471	444	1
Harwich,	1,374	723	649	2	746	1,001	500	481	20
Mashpee,†	137	76	61	-	48	115	57	58	-
Orleans,	466	229	237	-	284	630	312	318	-
Provincetown,	2,317	1,188	1,127	2	910	1,497	814	680	3
Sandwich,	1,475	769	706	-	557	1,200	626	572	2
Truro,	561	286	275	-	180	426	212	214	-
Wellfleet,	792	404	376	12	366	760	375	376	9
Yarmouth,	780	445	335	-	314	848	408	433	7
BERKSHIRE COUNTY,	34,596	17,771	16,775	50	10,975	23,210	11,559	11,591	60
Adams,	6,605	3,402	3,196	7	2,129	3,924	1,985	1,936	3
Alford,	159	72	87	-	58	159	73	86	-
Becket,	446	232	211	3	156	384	184	198	2
Cheshire,	746	378	367	1	228	481	247	231	3
Clarksburg,	285	148	137	-	59	175	91	84	-
Dalton,	879	431	448	-	263	595	281	311	3
Egremont,	267	128	138	1	147	276	151	124	1
Florida,	463	232	228	3	73	295	187	104	4
Gt. Barrington,	1,936	1,005	930	1	751	1,464	701	761	2
Hancock,	273	143	130	-	70	200	101	99	-
Hinsdale,	1,001	491	510	-	334	630	313	317	-
Lanesborough,	822	428	390	4	173	418	216	200	2
Lee,	2,038	1,035	1,002	1	662	1,605	784	821	-
Lenox,	1,199	634	565	-	207	580	296	281	3
Monterey,	237	110	126	1	115	237	113	124	-
Mt Washington,	58	26	32	-	30	58	30	28	-
New Ashford,	76	35	41	-	18	41	25	18	-
New Marlborough,	923	490	433	-	219	558	289	269	-
North Adams,‡	2,656	1,371	1,278	7	760	1,538	736	800	2
Otis,	242	148	94	-	154	262	144	118	-
Peru,	152	77	75	-	55	155	67	87	1
Pittsfield,	6,804	3,502	3,295	7	2,191	4,483	2,218	2,248	17
Richmond,	479	221	256	2	89	259	128	130	1
Sandisfield,	393	192	201	-	199	338	169	168	1
Savoy,	304	154	150	-	127	249	122	127	-
Sheffield,	1,040	571	467	2	368	853	422	430	1
Stockbridge,	756	401	353	2	319	657	338	318	1
Tyringham,	285	139	146	-	97	198	91	106	1
Washington,	163	85	78	-	61	147	69	78	-
W. Stockbridge,	1,077	552	524	1	290	670	340	328	2
Williamstown,	1,597	821	769	7	469	1,122	548	564	10
Windsor,	235	117	118	-	104	199	100	99	-
BRISTOL COUNTY,	66,574	34,200	32,273	101	24,888	52,241	26,009	26,189	43
Acushnet,	378	209	169	-	173	367	177	189	1
Attleborough,	5,993	3,110	2,869	14	1,681	3,224	1,581	1,641	2
Berkley,	229	114	115	-	125	267	127	139	1
Dartmouth,	1,418	731	697	-	526	1,264	650	614	-
Dighton,	834	417	409	8	347	632	281	348	3
Easton,	1,957	1,040	917	-	481	1,272	644	627	1
Fairhaven,	878	452	426	-	420	1,027	485	537	5
Fall River,	25,085	12,832	12,219	34	8,899	19,996	10,055	9,939	2
Freetown,	464	237	224	3	218	480	359	225	5
Mansfield,	1,205	600	605	-	372	910	444	465	1
New Bedford,	12,167	6,123	6,026	18	6,106	10,560	5,199	5,349	12

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Counties and Towns.	Births.				Marriages.	Births.			
	Persons.	Sex.			Couples.	Persons.	Sex.		
		Males.	Fem.	Unk			Males.	Fem.	Unk.
Bristol Co. — Con.									
Norton,	580	308	271	1	216	524	245	279	-
Raynham,	696	357	339	-	239	542	287	255	-
Rehoboth,	658	339	319	-	297	630	295	335	-
Seekonk,	414	223	189	2	130	477	207	270	-
Somerset,	1,236	639	597	-	299	774	407	365	2
Swanzey,	508	269	239	-	220	505	259	246	-
Taunton,	10,676	5,582	5,078	16	3,701	7,838	3,922	3,908	8
Westport,	1,188	618	565	5	438	952	494	458	-
DUKES COUNTY,	1,196	605	580	11	718	1,552	840	709	3
Chilmark,	154	73	78	3	88	135	69	65	1
Cottage City,*	63	35	28	-	36	95	50	45	-
Edgartown,	460	226	231	3	297	615	305	310	-
Gay Head,†	78	45	32	1	25	75	39	34	2
Gosnold,	31	11	20	-	17	29	20	9	-
Tisbury,	410	215	191	4	255	603	357	246	-
ESSEX COUNTY,	112,460	57,725	54,619	116	44,765	89,184	44,324	44,777	83
Amesbury,	2,651	1,313	1,327	11	894	1,797	883	909	5
Andover,	2,156	1,114	1,042	-	769	1,826	890	935	1
Beverly,	3,294	1,699	1,594	1	1,393	2,570	1,215	1,355	-
Boxford,	321	158	163	-	128	265	128	137	-
Bradford,	971	487	483	1	290	751	351	399	1
Danvers,	2,805	1,440	1,359	6	1,060	2,677	1,344	1,325	8
Essex,	593	301	287	5	251	590	295	294	1
Georgetown,	703	366	337	-	318	648	321	327	-
Gloucester,	11,202	5,771	5,421	10	3,775	8,389	5,156	3,226	7
Groveland,	887	434	453	-	295	597	343	351	3
Hamilton,	275	131	144	-	159	266	141	123	2
Haverhill,	8,036	4,112	3,921	3	3,906	5,593	2,703	2,877	13
Ipswich,	1,377	709	666	2	665	1,499	738	760	1
Lawrence,	19,848	10,194	9,614	40	8,129	14,617	6,962	7,646	9
Lynn,	16,729	8,538	8,177	14	7,677	12,876	6,227	6,640	9
Lynnfield,	273	146	127	-	127	249	129	120	-
Manchester,	669	359	309	1	257	627	294	333	-
Marblehead,	4,080	2,114	1,966	-	1,417	3,320	1,691	1,629	-
Merrimac,‡	441	210	231	-	156	355	195	160	-
Methuen,	1,742	886	855	1	626	1,325	662	662	1
Middleton,	384	196	188	-	167	329	152	176	-
Nahant,	300	150	150	-	52	166	85	81	-
Newbury,	609	316	292	1	203	480	226	254	-
Newburyport,	6,521	3,494	3,023	4	2,763	5,616	2,674	2,938	4
North Andover,	1,508	784	723	-	422	983	489	492	2
Peabody,	4,913	2,435	2,478	-	1,153	3,057	1,492	1,565	-
Rockport,	2,250	1,165	1,082	3	859	1,595	819	774	2
Rowley,	453	230	222	1	198	430	228	202	-
Salem,	11,017	5,650	5,364	3	4,635	11,207	5,346	5,851	10
Salisbury,	2,103	1,057	1,045	1	778	1,586	749	837	-
Saugus,	935	480	448	7	349	765	372	392	1
Swampscott,	930	494	436	-	287	653	335	316	2
Topsfield,	448	248	200	-	190	386	198	188	-
Wenham,	341	167	174	-	148	312	145	167	-
West Newbury,	655	377	318	-	269	683	346	336	1
FRANKLIN COUNTY,	13,971	7,233	6,712	26	5,875	11,765	5,799	5,935	31
Ashfield,	361	198	162	1	125	350	168	182	-
Bernardston,	355	182	173	-	192	310	160	149	1
Buckland,	941	462	478	1	309	683	346	337	-
Charlemont,	284	148	136	-	184	325	162	162	1
Colrain,	630	333	297	-	330	505	243	262	-
Conway,	663	355	307	1	250	590	287	303	-

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	Persons.	Sex.			Couples.	Persons.	Sex.		
		Males.	Fem.	Unk.			Males.	Fem.	Unk.
Franklin Co. — Con.									
Deerfield,	1,641	862	771	8	415	1,138	564	568	6
Erving,	247	125	122	-	114	240	134	105	1
Gill,*	134	69	65	-	75	186	97	88	1
Greenfield,	1,780	916	861	3	906	1,285	603	680	2
Hawley,	248	132	115	1	84	187	89	96	2
Heath,	213	107	106	-	107	151	64	86	1
Leverett,	260	138	122	-	135	279	142	136	1
Leyden,	190	80	110	-	77	149	66	81	2
Monroe,	69	36	33	-	37	51	24	27	-
Montague,	2,108	1,085	1,022	1	649	1,377	720	656	1
New Salem,	323	179	143	1	150	358	174	184	-
Northfield,	580	299	278	3	247	611	313	296	2
Orange,	960	499	458	3	510	943	467	470	6
Rowe,	156	86	70	-	86	184	81	103	-
Shelburne,	517	273	243	1	263	567	282	282	3
Shutesbury,	194	92	101	1	116	223	101	122	-
Sunderland,	288	150	138	-	95	289	126	163	-
Warwick,	254	136	118	-	144	281	134	146	1
Wendell,	163	77	86	-	122	173	90	83	-
Whately,	412	214	197	1	153	330	162	168	-
HAMPDEN COUNTY,	50,974	26,102	24,812	60	19,123	37,095	18,359	18,701	35
Agawam,	1,168	569	596	3	300	766	381	382	3
Blandford,	403	193	209	1	140	372	183	189	-
Brimfield,	453	217	232	4	165	431	205	226	-
Chester,	567	293	274	-	197	416	217	199	-
Chicopee,	5,746	2,912	2,833	1	2,180	4,509	2,175	2,334	-
Granville,	481	233	246	2	187	382	184	197	1
Hampden,†	122	69	53	-	49	99	49	50	-
Holland,	123	67	54	2	43	122	54	67	1
Holyoke,	12,042	6,323	5,716	3	4,428	8,088	4,004	4,083	1
Longmeadow,	640	329	311	-	222	550	257	293	-
Ludlow,	634	341	291	2	256	465	230	232	3
Monson,	1,478	741	734	3	453	1,575	852	722	1
Montgomery,	133	72	61	-	47	122	63	59	-
Palmer,	2,577	1,268	1,305	4	1,169	1,563	782	780	1
Russell,	378	188	189	1	133	270	140	128	2
Southwick,	382	189	193	-	200	347	177	167	3
Springfield,	16,624	8,456	8,157	11	6,480	11,795	5,797	5,988	10
Tolland,	178	100	75	3	62	126	71	51	4
Wales,	362	200	162	-	167	285	135	150	-
Westfield,	3,604	1,887	1,703	14	1,497	2,785	1,383	1,398	4
West Springfield,	2,028	1,007	1,016	5	440	1,369	676	693	-
Wilbraham,	851	448	402	1	308	658	344	313	1
HAMPSHIRE COUNTY,	20,654	10,685	9,951	18	8,076	16,612	8,060	8,529	23
Amherst,	1,567	806	761	-	653	1,271	603	668	-
Belchertown,	943	475	468	-	394	829	403	422	4
Chesterfield,	306	159	147	-	149	292	150	142	-
Cummington,	345	173	172	-	154	301	140	161	-
Easthampton,	1,777	919	857	1	620	1,373	627	741	5
Enfield,	442	242	200	-	221	373	163	210	-
Goshen,	134	64	69	1	55	123	64	59	-
Granby,	304	157	147	-	102	268	121	147	-
Greenwich,	175	89	86	-	85	261	129	130	2
Hadley,	997	496	500	1	275	774	385	389	-
Hatfield,	971	499	472	-	169	543	258	285	-
Huntington,	483	240	243	-	231	461	221	239	1
Middlefield,	277	133	143	1	85	220	112	107	1
Northampton,	5,809	3,093	2,706	10	2,422	4,258	2,136	2,120	2
Pelham,	158	72	86	-	135	198	99	99	-
Plainfield,	153	71	81	1	78	172	89	83	-

* Nineteen years only; no returns in 1881 and 1882. † Eight years only.

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Counties and Towns.	Births.				Marriages.	Deaths.			
	Persons.	Sex.			Couples.	Persons.	Sex.		
		Males.	Fem.	Unk.			Males.	Fem.	Unk.
Hampshire Co.—Con.									
Prescott,	157	73	84	-	96	164	83	81	-
Southampton,	513	258	252	3	213	477	224	253	-
South Hadley,	1,431	763	668	-	487	1,071	544	523	4
Ware,	2,151	1,117	1,034	-	893	1,953	955	995	3
Westhampton,	279	137	142	-	78	230	106	124	-
Williamsburg,	959	473	486	-	343	713	321	391	1
Worthington,	323	176	147	-	138	287	127	160	-
MIDDLESEX COUNTY,	156,376	80,290	75,839	247	55,608	116,957	57,363	59,523	71
Acton,	679	362	316	1	272	608	293	315	-
Arlington,	2,045	1,030	1,015	-	610	1,445	722	723	-
Ashby,	267	144	122	1	156	380	182	197	1
Ashland,	1,221	656	562	3	432	819	432	386	1
Ayer,*	781	392	389	-	235	486	261	225	-
Bedford,	344	188	154	2	113	341	167	173	1
Belmont,	874	447	427	-	214	533	270	260	3
Billerica,	687	348	339	-	280	639	319	320	-
Boxborough,	124	57	67	-	58	95	38	57	-
Brighton,*	1,358	701	655	-	314	809	427	382	-
Burlington,	214	117	97	-	90	209	112	96	1
Cambridge,	27,770	14,143	13,575	52	8,602	19,260	9,375	9,872	13
Carlisle,	187	102	85	-	85	222	99	123	-
Charlestown,*	6,403	3,228	3,167	8	3,049	5,768	2,907	2,853	8
Chelmsford,	1,012	514	498	-	310	791	364	427	-
Concord,	1,288	690	586	12	540	949	501	448	-
Dracut,	588	291	297	-	166	495	229	265	1
Dunstable,	101	51	50	-	58	152	60	92	-
Everett,†	1,537	777	760	-	417	994	484	508	2
Framingham,	2,698	1,384	1,313	1	1,088	1,929	933	996	-
Groton,	988	487	500	1	453	808	388	420	-
Holliston,	1,358	713	643	2	561	1,092	528	564	-
Hopkinton,	2,179	1,100	1,079	2	568	1,448	713	734	1
Hudson,‡	1,836	948	887	1	613	1,113	546	567	-
Lexington,	776	402	374	-	341	885	403	482	-
Lincoln,	353	188	165	-	74	218	114	104	-
Littleton,	335	185	149	1	139	329	158	169	2
Lowell,	26,745	13,845	12,818	82	13,322	22,328	10,473	11,852	3
Malden,	5,625	2,845	2,775	5	1,863	3,5 6	1,724	1,829	3
Marlborough,	6,501	3,341	3,153	7	1,600	3,147	1,578	1,567	2
Maynard,§	904	482	422	-	243	479	247	232	-
Medford,	2,710	1,399	1,303	8	1,044	2,185	1,021	1,164	-
Melrose,	1,902	975	926	1	667	1,310	612	695	3
Natick,	4,489	2,262	2,211	16	1,227	2,661	1,308	1,353	-
Newton,	6,887	3,539	3,347	1	2,316	4,198	2,016	2,179	3
North Reading,	380	189	191	-	171	359	163	196	-
Pepperell,	918	475	442	1	395	839	430	408	1
Reading,	1,014	504	509	1	501	966	462	504	-
Sherborn,	464	247	214	3	157	437	190	243	4
Shirley,	460	231	229	-	234	463	225	238	-
Somerville,	12,371	6,344	6,021	6	2,928	8,172	4,078	4,091	3
Stoneham,	2,065	1,078	987	-	722	1,596	750	846	-
Stow,	518	261	257	-	207	390	202	187	1
Sudbury,	581	297	284	-	166	472	213	259	-
Tewksbury,	442	219	223	-	160	442	233	209	-
(*State Almshouse*),	1,540	782	758	-	-	5,470	3,201	2,269	-
Townsend,	810	450	356	4	363	817	400	416	1
Tyngsborough,	153	81	72	-	94	251	126	125	-
Wakefield,	2,470	1,273	1,194	3	1,034	1,843	926	915	2
Waltham,	5,698	2,962	2,731	5	2,279	3,626	1,724	1,894	8
Watertown,	2,519	1,316	1,196	7	1,029	1,756	849	906	1
Wayland,	782	391	391	-	252	529	274	355	-
Westford,	914	462	446	6	294	666	319	345	2
Weston,	447	232	215	-	159	370	183	187	-
Wilmington,	362	172	189	1	152	349	171	178	-
Winchester,	1,629	833	796	-	564	946	458	488	-
Woburn,	6,073	3,158	2,914	1	1,627	3,517	1,782	1,735	-

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	Persons.	Sex.			Couples.	Persons.	Sex.		
		Males.	Fem.	Unk.			Males	Fem.	Unk.
NANTUCKET COUNTY,	1,191	628	560	3	677	2,190	1,044	1,144	2
NORFOLK COUNTY,	49,303	25,282	23,963	58	15,243	33,872	16,754	17,092	26
Bellingham,	559	281	277	1	198	430	220	208	2
Braintree,	1,799	911	884	4	587	1,437	733	704	-
Brookline,	4,338	2,218	2,112	8	1,291	2,312	1,112	1,200	-
Canton,	1,749	900	847	2	594	1,302	633	668	1
Cohasset,	1,010	514	496	-	357	776	380	396	-
Dedham,	3,363	1,729	1,628	6	1,020	2,250	1,118	1,131	1
Dorchester,*a*	1,458	720	735	3	489	893	416	474	3
Dover,	188	103	85	-	89	223	113	110	-
Foxborough,	874	435	436	3	447	876	392	483	1
Franklin,	1,331	678	653	-	471	1,024	477	543	4
Holbrook,*	699	348	351	-	222	427	205	222	-
Hyde Park,†	3,178	1,610	1,560	8	849	1,825	889	935	1
Medfield,	406	209	197	-	199	414	186	228	-
Medway,	1,578	802	775	1	536	1,324	643	681	-
Millis,‡	6	1	5	-	4	8	4	4	-
Milton,	1,392	740	651	1	475	966	489	477	-
Needham,	1,950	996	952	2	546	1,213	614	599	-
Norfolk,†	381	186	195	-	92	239	122	117	-
Norwood,*	785	443	342	-	229	461	242	218	1
Quincy,	5,083	2,641	2,436	6	1,496	3,390	1,811	1,578	1
Randolph,	2,290	1,170	1,119	1	668	1,764	871	889	4
Roxbury,*a*	2,634	1,351	1,283	-	736	1,746	818	925	3
Sharon,	490	241	246	3	207	571	286	285	-
Stoughton,	2,452	1,283	1,169	-	734	1,796	895	899	2
Walpole,	1,000	529	469	2	336	842	418	423	1
Wellesley,§	252	132	120	-	77	159	66	93	-
West Roxbury,*b*	1,950	975	975	-	399	1,081	526	554	1
Weymouth,	5,222	2,704	2,514	4	1,546	3,294	1,672	1,622	-
Wrentham,	886	432	451	3	349	829	403	426	-
PLYMOUTH COUNTY,	30,662	15,900	14,720	42	12,403	25,420	12,787	12,582	51
Abington,	3,135	1,635	1,500	-	1,086	1,893	969	914	10
Bridgewater,	1,996	1,072	921	3	587	2,204	1,252	949	3
Brockton,	5,789	2,959	2,825	5	2,485	3,912	1,962	1,935	15
Carver,	430	227	203	-	182	352	186	166	-
Duxbury,	755	395	357	3	342	796	409	383	4
E. Bridgewater,	1,023	515	508	-	502	997	519	477	1
Halifax,	216	103	113	-	98	215	94	120	1
Hanover,	725	364	361	-	296	654	327	323	4
Hanson,	490	247	243	-	212	420	212	208	-
Hingham,	1,844	971	865	8	687	1,692	813	877	2
Hull,	103	51	49	3	37	163	102	61	-
Kingston,	517	265	251	1	248	538	242	296	-
Lakeville,	369	173	196	-	166	353	164	189	-
Marion,	342	162	180	-	155	336	167	169	-
Marshfield,	545	281	260	4	261	606	285	318	3
Mattapoisett,	365	174	190	1	241	518	254	263	
Middleborough,	1,802	928	874	-	829	1,588	761	826	1
Pembroke,	521	270	251	-	242	502	246	254	2
Plymouth,	3,301	1,676	1,620	5	1,289	2,553	1,240	1,313	-
Plympton,	236	119	117	-	149	296	150	145	1
Rochester,	401	199	202	-	179	354	178	176	-
Rockland,‖	1,101	619	482	-	377	800	411	387	2
Scituate,	994	534	459	1	379	933	472	461	-
South Abington,¶	729	398	331	-	279	481	248	233	-
South Scituate,	612	325	283	4	303	668	321	346	1
Wareham,	1,711	925	786	-	574	1,054	545	509	-
West Bridgewater,	610	313	293	4	218	542	258	284	-

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§ Five years only. ‖ Twelve years only. ¶ Eleven years only.
a Five years only; annexed to Boston: — Dorchester in 1869; Roxbury, 1867.
b Nine years only; annexed to Boston in 1873.

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Counties and Towns.	Births.				Marriages.	Deaths.			
	Persons.	Sex.			Couples.	Persons.	Sex.		
		Males.	Fem.	Unk.			Males.	Fem.	Unk.
SUFFOLK COUNTY,	208,828	106,608	102,204	16	75,476	163,873	82,485	81,386	20
Boston,	196,862	100,643	96,218	1	71,732	155,191	78,187	77,003	1
Chelsea,	10,808	5,384	5,417	7	4,155	7,889	3,898	3,975	16
Revere,	827	411	410	6	178	527	269	256	2
Winthrop,	331	170	159	2	109	266	131	134	1
WORCESTER COUNTY,	112,536	57,952	54,405	179	37,797	78,775	39,196	39,501	78
Ashburnham,	874	446	426	2	372	765	406	359	-
Athol,	1,398	755	642	1	849	1,365	687	678	-
Auburn,	460	241	219	-	182	356	177	179	-
Barre,	873	449	424	-	430	920	447	472	1
Berlin,	402	211	191	-	164	334	151	181	2
Blackstone,	2,614	1,379	1,226	9	860	1,545	809	733	3
Bolton,	348	161	187	-	146	401	186	215	-
Boylston,	312	177	135	-	125	287	139	148	-
Brookfield,	1,277	623	654	-	421	935	467	467	1
Charlton,	565	328	237	-	285	606	291	313	2
Clinton,	4,022	2,120	1,897	5	1,416	2,323	1,150	1,175	3
Dana,	237	122	115	-	141	268	132	135	1
Douglas,	1,476	762	714	-	417	922	451	469	2
Dudley,	1,629	823	806	-	227	1,056	528	526	2
Fitchburg,	6,170	3,114	3,055	1	2,409	4,250	2,101	2,147	2
Gardner,	2,393	1,262	1,131	-	795	1,458	708	750	-
Grafton,	1,931	1,000	921	10	725	1,326	634	690	2
Hardwick,	1,085	570	514	1	415	587	286	300	1
Harvard,	331	159	172	-	143	501	217	284	-
Holden,	1,047	532	511	4	392	736	370	366	-
Hubbardston,	444	239	205	-	233	528	255	270	3
Lancaster,	529	259	269	1	275	600	295	305	-
Leicester,	1,321	666	655	-	394	1,042	534	508	-
Leominster,	2,298	1,140	1,151	7	597	1,718	820	898	-
Lunenburg,	321	180	141	-	173	433	216	217	-
Mendon,	434	283	251	-	145	404	198	205	1
Milford,	5,268	2,707	2,559	2	1,502	3,932	1,991	1,940	1
Millbury,	2,799	1,435	1,363	1	840	1,760	895	863	2
New Braintree,	180	97	80	3	84	179	90	88	1
Northborough,	700	356	344	-	268	546	266	280	-
Northbridge,	2,168	1,120	1,048	-	654	1,347	686	661	-
North Brookfield,	2,321	1,183	1,138	-	752	1,441	735	703	3
Oakham,	330	168	161	1	131	334	168	165	1
Oxford,	1,157	591	566	-	367	993	476	516	1
Paxton,	176	87	89	-	80	238	115	123	-
Petersham,	378	204	174	-	195	453	223	229	1
Phillipston,	209	106	102	1	118	224	104	120	-
Princeton,	344	166	178	-	155	423	197	226	-
Royalston,	383	209	169	5	226	497	226	271	-
Rutland,	439	227	212	-	146	366	181	185	-
Shrewsbury,	689	378	310	1	216	598	300	298	-
Southborough,	892	445	447	-	332	630	315	315	-
Southbridge,	3,810	1,938	1,872	-	1,208	2,295	1,062	1,230	3
Spencer,	4,795	2,420	2,368	7	834	2,329	1,182	1,139	8
Sterling,	496	245	148	3	213	561	251	306	4
Sturbridge,	807	388	417	2	350	714	355	359	-
Sutton,	1,597	831	750	16	559	997	499	494	4
Templeton,	1,225	654	561	10	495	973	470	503	-
Upton,	826	406	420	-	296	643	311	332	-
Uxbridge,	1,417	730	685	2	515	933	466	466	1
Warren,	1,843	967	876	-	590	1,043	522	521	-
Webster,	3,539	1,812	1,720	7	1,338	2,073	1,034	1,037	2
Westborough,	2,172	1,120	1,051	1	654	1,471	721	750	-
West Boylston,	1,791	902	889	-	618	1,072	532	540	-
West Brookfield,	823	436	387	-	282	611	302	307	2
Westminster,	587	289	296	2	276	661	311	350	-
Winchendon,	1,618	852	750	16	705	1,310	651	652	7
Worcester,	31,866	16,482	15,326	58	10,067	21,457	10,904	10,542	11

TABLE XV. — BIRTHS. — TWENTY-ONE YEARS, 1865–85.

Distinguishing by Counties, by Months, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Children BORN ALIVE *during the Twenty-one Years, 1865–85; also, for the entire State, the Percentage of the Numbers in each Month (distinguishing Sex) to the Total Number.*

Years and Months.	SEX.	Percentage.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
21 Years,	Totals, .	100·00	872,452	13,131	34,596	66,574	2,387	112,460	13,971	50,974	20,654	156,376	49,303	30,662	208,828	112,536
	Males, .	51·32	447,745	6,764	17,771	34,200	1,233	57,725	7,233	26,102	10,685	80,290	25,282	15,900	106,608	57,952
	Fem., .	48 57	423,751	6,338	16,775	32,273	1,140	54,619	6,712	24,812	9,951	75,839	23,963	14,720	102,204	54,405
	Unk., .	·11	956	29	50	101	14	116	26	60	18	247	58	42	16	179
Jan.	Totals, .	7·70	67,210	937	2,628	5,009	171	8,496	954	3,939	1,590	11,649	3,647	2,326	16,983	8,881
	Males, .	3 95	34,494	446	1,345	2,627	87	4,422	541	1,958	823	6,003	1,836	1,163	8,591	4,652
	Fem., .	3·74	32,630	491	1,280	2,372	81	4,068	412	1,975	763	5,620	1,806	1,161	8,392	4,209
	Unk , .	·01	86	–	3	10	3	6	1	6	4	26	5	2	–	20
Feb.	Totals, .	7·37	64.336	806	2,545	4,982	170	8,218	986	3,624	1,447	11,329	3,653	2,174	16,123	8,279
	Males, .	3·79	33,083	405	1,315	2,567	78	4,206	510	1,865	775	5,864	1,877	1,127	8,118	4,376
	Fem., .	3·57	31,189	400	1,224	2,410	91	4,006	476	1,756	670	5,445	1,772	1,046	8,003	3,890
	Unk., .	01	64	1	6	5	1	6	–	3	2	20	4	1	2	13
March.	Totals, .	8·20	71,509	881	2,846	5,297	174	9,306	1,144	4,112	1,775	12,667	4,055	2,566	17,427	9,259
	Males, .	4·23	36,858	453	1,496	2,749	99	4,842	595	2,076	896	6,438	2,073	1,338	9,012	4,791
	Fem., .	3·96	34,569	428	1,346	2,541	74	4,454	549	2,027	877	6,208	1,980	1,223	8,414	4,448
	Unk., .	·01	82	–	4	7	1	10	–	9	2	21	2	5	1	20

TABLE XV. — Concluded.

Years and Months.	SEX.	Percentage.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
April.	Totals, .	7·66	66,829	847	2,845	5,225	191	8,561	1,123	3,922	1,619	11,708	3,791	2,459	15,638	8,900
	Males, .	3·91	34,120	443	1,393	2,654	98	4,389	591	1,945	842	5,936	1,968	1,274	8,039	4,548
	Fem., .	3·75	32,653	404	1,450	2,567	92	4,165	531	1,976	776	5,751	1,820	1,180	7,598	4,343
	Unk., .	–	56	–	2	4	1	7	1	1	1	21	3	5	1	9
May.	Totals, .	7·90	68,932	881	2,846	5,202	212	8,854	1,201	4,059	1,659	12,138	3,885	2,419	16,204	9,372
	Males, .	4·04	35,246	486	1,475	2,681	107	4,532	619	2,050	861	6,209	2,012	1,295	8,256	4,663
	Fem., .	3·85	33,622	393	1,368	2,519	104	4,312	579	2,002	798	5,912	1,871	1,123	7,948	4,693
	Unk., .	·01	64	2	3	2	1	10	3	7	–	17	2	1	–	16
June.	Totals, .	7·98	69,618	947	2,818	5,325	214	9,145	1,055	4,041	1,661	12,469	3,905	2,449	16,529	9,060
	Males, .	4·12	35,972	501	1,435	2,798	123	4,665	548	2,166	865	6,486	2,040	1,247	8,441	4,657
	Fem., .	3·85	33,568	445	1,378	2,520	91	4,469	507	1,870	795	5,955	1,861	1,198	8,087	4,392
	Unk., .	·01	78	1	5	7	–	11	–	5	1	28	4	4	1	11
July.	Totals, .	8·72	76,037	1,267	3,077	5,808	214	9,703	1,272	4,528	1,823	13,373	4,233	2,641	18,194	9,904
	Males, .	4·46	38,920	652	1,540	2,943	109	4,960	662	2,266	909	6,891	2,196	1,357	9,388	5,047
	Fem., .	4·25	37,037	614	1,533	2,853	103	4,731	608	2,260	913	6,465	2,031	1,279	8,805	4,842
	Unk., .	·01	80	1	4	12	2	12	2	2	1	17	6	5	1	15
Aug.	Totals, .	9·20	80,213	1,418	3,106	5,969	231	10,591	1,314	4,670	1,900	14,575	4,461	2,758	18,850	10,370
	Males, .	4·72	41,131	719	1,605	3,027	121	5,379	656	2,420	999	7,473	2,328	1,472	9,606	5,326
	Fem., .	4·47	39,012	696	1,499	2,933	110	5,205	656	2,243	900	7,085	2,127	1,283	4,243	5,032
	Unk., .	·01	70	3	2	9	–	7	2	7	1	17	6	3	1	12

Sept.	Totals, .	8·77	76,530	1,363	3,094	5,885	208	9,811	1,311	4,526	1,828	13,882	4,386	2,759	17,823	9,654
	Males, .	4·50	39,274	716	1,595	3,005	103	5.023	694	2,336	927	7,197	2,259	1,389	9,052	4,978
	Fem., .	4·26	37,179	644	1,497	2,874	104	4,775	613	2,184	898	6,665	2,125	1,367	8,770	4,663
	Unk., .	·01	77	3	2	6	1	13	4	6	3	20	2	3	1	13
Oct.	Totals, .	8·96	78,187	1,335	3,069	6,023	216	10,068	1,276	4,533	1,841	14,210	4,461	2,769	18,479	9,907
	Males, .	4·62	40,305	676	1,640	3,065	121	5,184	676	2,406	973	7,222	2,266	1,450	9,469	5,157
	Fem., .	4·33	37,814	653	1,424	2,954	93	4,880	595	2,121	867	6,976	2,191	1,314	9,008	4,738
	Unk., .	·01	68	6	5	4	2	4	5	6	1	12	4	5	2	12
Nov.	Totals, .	8·60	75,007	1,246	2,782	5,754	201	9,715	1,169	4,464	1,684	15,664	4,267	2,618	18,065	9,378
	Males, .	4·40	38,385	641	1,439	2,959	95	4,996	571	2,245	850	7,044	2,100	1,368	9,244	4,833
	Fem., .	4·19	36,543	598	1,336	2,779	104	4,706	596	2,217	834	6,610	2,163	1,248	8,821	4,531
	Unk., .	·01	79	7	7	16	2	13	2	2	–	10	4	2	–	14
Dec.	Totals, .	8·91	77,739	1,194	2,917	6,038	183	9,976	1,160	4,523	1,818	14,639	4,539	2,719	18,502	9,531
	Males, .	4·57	39,844	624	1,484	3,103	91	5,121	568	2,354	963	7,497	2,320	1,417	9,388	4 914
	Fem., .	4·33	37,778	567	1,429	2,921	92	4,839	588	2,165	854	7,112	2,205	1,296	9,108	4,602
	Unk., .	·01	117	3	4	14	–	16	4	4	1	30	14	6	6	15
Not stated.	Totals, .	·03	305	9	23	57	2	16	6	33	9	73	20	5	11	41
	Males, .	·01	113	2	9	22	1	6	2	15	2	30	7	3	4	10
	Fem., .	·02	157	5	11	30	1	9	2	16	6	35	11	2	7	22
	Unk., .	–	35	2	3	5	–	1	2	2	1	8	2	–	–	9

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PLURALITY BIRTHS. — Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

[Included in Tables XIV. and XV.]

Years and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
21 Years.	Totals,	15,921	257	797	1090	62	2207	297	911	376	2900	1015	627	3283	2099
	Males,	8,056	116	407	553	31	1127	161	439	189	1446	547	322	1663	1055
	Fem.,	7,859	141	390	537	29	1080	134	472	187	1454	468	305	1620	1042
	Unk.,	6	–	–	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Jan.	Totals,	1,160	24	51	81	8	171	22	44	34	196	70	55	259	145
	Males,	577	11	29	39	2	87	9	18	17	95	39	29	134	68
	Fem.,	581	13	22	42	4	84	13	26	17	101	31	26	125	77
	Unk.,	2	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feb.	Totals,	1,034	16	48	74	6	121	20	74	18	182	88	34	217	136
	Males,	522	8	23	35	1	64	8	39	11	85	49	20	108	71
	Fem.,	512	8	25	39	5	57	12	35	7	97	39	14	109	65
Mar.	Totals,	1,131	12	60	57	2	149	27	57	44	215	82	55	203	168
	Males,	562	4	36	28	2	73	21	27	19	108	52	25	95	72
	Fem.,	569	8	24	29	–	76	6	30	25	107	30	30	108	96
April.	Totals,	1,239	16	56	95	10	174	22	54	26	251	91	44	223	177
	Males,	610	7	28	44	4	103	10	24	15	117	43	22	106	87
	Fem.,	629	9	28	51	6	71	12	30	11	134	48	22	117	90
May.	Totals,	1,270	20	68	69	4	171	31	76	40	256	53	62	242	178
	Males,	670	10	32	41	3	80	16	40	21	139	25	39	134	90
	Fem.,	600	10	36	28	1	91	15	36	19	117	28	23	108	88
June.	Totals,	1,410	18	68	106	4	205	20	86	28	234	111	46	300	178
	Males,	703	9	28	52	1	105	20	41	15	122	70	20	136	84
	Fem.,	707	9	40	54	3	100	6	45	13	112	41	26	164	94
July.	Totals,	1,401	32	74	98	4	206	28	84	30	266	75	40	250	214
	Males,	710	16	38	55	2	102	12	39	16	134	33	20	129	114
	Fem.,	691	16	36	43	2	104	16	45	14	132	42	20	121	100

Supplement to Table XV. — Concluded.

Years and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Aug.	Totals,	1,499	22	84	109	4	235	20	91	38	258	76	46	328	188
	Males,	757	13	42	51	1	111	9	43	22	133	36	21	166	109
	Fem.,	742	9	42	58	3	124	11	48	16	125	40	25	162	79
Sept.	Totals,	1,436	28	94	118	8	187	34	100	22	212	60	72	312	189
	Males,	735	18	52	67	5	94	23	45	8	110	29	39	145	100
	Fem.,	697	10	42	51	3	93	9	55	14	102	31	33	167	87
	Unk.,	4	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Oct.	Totals,	1,553	20	77	119	4	202	21	82	30	294	123	68	349	164
	Males,	797	6	40	64	4	109	12	40	13	137	74	31	178	89
	Fem.,	756	14	37	55	–	93	9	42	17	157	49	37	171	75
Nov.	Totals,	1,297	28	55	58	4	186	16	90	28	245	90	57	284	156
	Males,	658	7	30	33	2	85	6	48	12	122	42	30	162	79
	Fem.,	639	21	25	25	2	101	10	42	16	123	48	27	122	77
Dec.	Totals,	1,491	21	62	106	4	200	30	73	38	291	96	48	316	206
	Males,	755	7	29	44	4	114	15	35	20	144	55	26	170	92
	Fem.,	736	14	33	62	–	86	15	38	18	147	41	22	146	114

Supplement to Table XV.

PLURALITY BIRTHS. — Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

[Included in Tables XIV. and XV.]

Years and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
21 Years.	Totals,	15,921	257	797	1090	62	2207	297	911	376	2900	1015	627	3283	2099
	Males,	8,056	116	407	553	31	1127	161	439	189	1446	547	322	1663	1055
	Fem.,	7,859	141	390	537	29	1080	134	472	187	1454	468	305	1620	1042
	Unk.,	6	–	–	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Jan.	Totals,	1,160	24	51	81	8	171	22	44	34	196	70	55	259	145
	Males,	577	11	29	39	2	87	9	18	17	95	39	29	134	68
	Fem.,	581	13	22	42	4	84	13	26	17	101	31	26	125	77
	Unk.,	2	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Feb.	Totals,	1,034	16	48	74	6	121	20	74	18	182	88	34	217	136
	Males,	522	8	23	35	1	64	8	39	11	85	49	20	108	71
	Fem.,	512	8	25	39	5	57	12	35	7	97	39	14	109	65
Mar.	Totals,	1,131	12	60	57	2	149	27	57	44	215	82	55	203	168
	Males,	562	4	36	28	2	73	21	27	19	108	52	25	95	72
	Fem.,	569	8	24	29	–	76	6	30	25	107	30	30	108	96
April.	Totals,	1,239	16	56	95	10	174	22	54	26	251	91	44	223	177
	Males,	610	7	28	44	4	103	10	24	15	117	43	22	106	87
	Fem.,	629	9	28	51	6	71	12	30	11	134	48	22	117	90
May.	Totals,	1,270	20	68	69	4	171	31	76	40	256	53	62	242	178
	Males,	670	10	32	41	3	80	16	40	21	139	25	39	134	90
	Fem.,	600	10	36	28	1	91	15	36	19	117	28	23	108	88
June.	Totals,	1,410	18	68	106	4	205	20	86	28	234	111	46	300	178
	Males,	703	9	28	52	1	105	20	41	15	122	70	20	136	84
	Fem.,	707	9	40	54	3	100	0	45	13	112	41	26	164	94
July.	Totals,	1,401	32	74	98	4	206	28	84	30	266	75	40	250	214
	Males,	710	16	38	55	2	102	12	39	16	134	33	20	129	114
	Fem.,	691	16	36	43	2	104	16	45	14	132	42	20	121	100

SUPPLEMENT TO TABLE XV. — Concluded.

Years and Months.	SEX.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Aug.	Totals,	1,499	22	84	109	4	235	20	91	38	258	76	46	328	188
	Males,	757	13	42	51	1	111	9	43	22	133	36	21	166	109
	Fem.,	742	9	42	58	3	124	11	48	16	125	40	25	162	79
Sept.	Totals,	1,436	28	94	118	8	187	34	100	22	212	60	72	312	189
	Males,	735	18	52	67	5	94	23	45	8	110	29	39	145	100
	Fem.,	697	10	42	51	3	93	9	55	14	102	31	33	167	87
	Unk.,	4	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Oct.	Totals,	1,553	20	77	119	4	202	21	82	30	294	123	68	349	164
	Males,	797	6	40	64	4	109	12	40	13	137	74	31	178	89
	Fem.,	756	14	37	55	–	93	9	42	17	157	49	37	171	75
Nov.	Totals,	1,297	28	55	58	4	186	16	90	28	245	90	57	284	156
	Males,	658	7	30	33	2	85	6	48	12	122	42	30	162	79
	Fem.,	639	21	25	25	2	101	10	42	16	123	48	27	122	77
Dec.	Totals,	1,491	21	62	106	4	200	30	73	38	291	96	48	316	206
	Males,	755	7	29	44	4	114	15	35	20	144	55	26	170	92
	Fem.,	736	14	33	62	–	86	15	38	18	147	41	22	146	114

Table XVI. — STILL-BORN. — Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

Distinguished by Counties, by Months, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Still-births during the Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

Years and Months.	SEX.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
21 Years.	Totals,	26,941	306	420	2439	130	3436	196	920	330	3835	1215	620	10,750	2344
	Males, .	15,010	154	226	1354	58	1887	95	512	155	2139	637	331	6202	1260
	Fem., .	10,356	118	129	918	27	1335	72	310	123	1403	474	223	4351	873
	Unk., .	1,575	34	65	167	45	214	29	98	52	293	104	66	197	211
Jan.	Totals,	2,229	27	22	208	16	286	11	72	21	326	95	53	916	176
	Males, .	1,252	14	15	109	10	150	7	36	12	178	52	27	539	103
	Fem., .	866	8	3	79	5	123	2	30	6	119	37	24	367	63
	Unk., .	111	5	4	20	1	13	2	6	3	29	6	2	10	10
Feb.	Totals,	2,135	14	25	192	11	296	7	56	27	296	107	56	862	186
	Males, .	1,219	8	14	112	7	167	3	32	13	175	57	33	495	103
	Fem., .	795	6	7	70	–	108	4	15	9	107	39	16	348	66
	Unk., .	121	–	4	10	4	21	–	9	5	14	11	7	19	17
Mar.	Totals,	2,378	23	44	246	8	296	16	97	31	344	114	44	936	179
	Males, .	1,338	13	22	145	4	160	6	56	10	195	59	20	549	99
	Fem., .	891	9	18	88	1	115	5	31	14	122	43	14	364	67
	Unk., .	149	1	4	13	3	21	5	10	7	27	12	10	23	13
April.	Totals,	2,222	15	34	180	11	287	23	70	21	340	98	42	901	200
	Males, .	1,251	9	17	92	4	156	9	36	12	200	52	22	529	113
	Fem., .	853	5	12	74	3	110	12	29	5	116	40	14	359	74
	Unk., .	118	1	5	14	4	21	2	5	4	24	6	6	13	13
May.	Totals,	2,228	24	36	201	9	272	15	66	30	350	91	51	902	181
	Males, .	1,185	10	12	101	3	137	7	40	10	183	51	27	506	100
	Fem., .	919	11	16	85	2	123	6	19	17	140	34	17	384	65
	Unk., .	124	3	8	15	4	14	2	7	3	27	6	7	12	16
June.	Totals,	2,250	22	32	212	14	280	18	75	32	304	109	53	911	188
	Males, .	1,272	12	18	116	6	155	10	44	15	184	63	28	531	90
	Fem., .	840	8	12	80	3	101	3	20	17	98	39	22	362	75
	Unk., .	138	2	2	16	5	24	5	11	–	22	7	3	18	23
July.	Totals,	2,237	30	29	203	10	257	19	78	30	325	103	40	912	201
	Males, .	1,258	12	16	112	5	149	12	44	19	167	54	20	542	106
	Fem., .	847	12	8	76	3	95	7	23	7	134	42	11	357	72
	Unk.,	132	6	5	15	2	13	–	11	4	24	7	9	13	23

TABLE XVI. — Concluded.

Years and Months.	SEX.	STATE.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Aug.	Totals,	2,265	32	34	190	13	296	10	71	20	311	90	62	932	204
	Males, .	1,274	13	21	104	1	167	4	41	10	177	46	32	551	107
	Fem., .	869	18	6	73	5	119	4	21	8	110	38	20	366	81
	Unk., .	122	1	7	13	7	10	2	9	2	24	6	10	15	16
Sept.	Totals,	2,087	31	26	173	12	258	15	85	26	287	91	33	855	195
	Males, .	1,146	17	17	99	2	139	5	51	10	150	47	19	484	106
	Fem., .	817	12	7	66	2	101	7	30	12	115	37	12	352	66
	Unk., .	124	2	2	8	8	18	3	4	4	22	9	2	19	23
Oct	Totals,	2,205	20	43	212	11	299	20	65	33	289	96	50	872	195
	Males, .	1,257	10	23	124	8	177	10	37	20	149	52	23	525	99
	Fem., .	791	6	12	70	–	102	9	20	7	106	35	24	326	74
	Unk., .	157	4	8	18	3	20	1	8	6	34	9	3	21	22
Nov.	Totals,	2,166	38	45	204	6	260	19	84	25	310	89	70	821	195
	Males, .	1,193	22	25	114	4	151	9	40	12	167	49	39	454	107
	Fem., .	854	15	12	77	1	93	7	40	8	122	30	27	347	75
	Unk., .	119	1	8	13	1	16	3	4	5	21	10	4	20	13
Dec.	Totals,	2,514	30	49	215	9	347	23	101	34	347	122	65	930	242
	Males, .	1,357	14	26	125	4	179	13	55	12	212	54	40	497	126
	Fem., .	1,006	8	16	79	2	145	6	32	13	111	58	22	419	95.
	Unk., .	151	8	7	11	3	23	4	14	9	24	10	3	14	21
Not stated.	Totals,	25	–	1	3	–	2	–	–	–	6	10	1	–	2
	Males, .	8	–	–	1	–	2	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	1
	Fem., .	8	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	3	4	–	–	–
	Unk, .	9	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	5	–	–	1

Table XVII. — MARRIAGES. — Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

Distinguishing by Counties, and by Months, the Number of Marriages registered during the Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

YEAR AND MONTHS.	State	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Twenty-one Years, .	317,656	6,034	10,975	24,888	1,395	44,765	5,875	19,123	8,076	55,608	15,243	12,401	75,476	37,797
January, ...	28,466	732	884	2,398	132	3,772	536	1,940	658	4,877	1,268	1,051	6,773	3,445
February, ...	23,673	457	808	1,883	90	3,152	385	1,648	560	4,001	1,027	810	6,263	2,589
March, ...	15,398	370	627	1,152	90	2,399	417	924	452	2,512	652	682	3,362	1,759
April, ...	25,231	409	802	1,787	73	3,577	509	1,436	675	4,442	1 260	971	6,282	3,008
May, ...	26,647	414	935	2,104	107	3,547	549	1,777	766	4,504	1,242	1,026	6,245	3,431
June, ...	28,742	393	885	2,247	83	4,132	472	1,635	702	5,182	1,471	1,116	6,980	3,444
July, ...	22,460	341	735	1,815	105	3,351	305	1,307	505	3,966	1,039	852	5,540	2,599
August, ...	21,074	286	663	1,742	98	2,892	346	1,257	516	3,689	974	697	5,296	2,618
September, ...	27,665	331	1,093	2,131	112	3,793	463	1,630	703	5,171	1,293	1,005	6,699	3,241
October, ...	32,757	490	1,199	2,458	180	4,545	595	1,890	837	5,818	1,655	1,170	8,079	3,841
November, ...	39,289	1,024	1,244	3,085	155	5,668	719	2,214	992	6,928	2,044	1,769	8,777	4,670
December, ...	25,856	779	918	2,075	166	3,928	564	1,409	708	4,455	1,314	1,234	5,176	3,130
Unknown, ...	398	8	182	11	4	9	15	56	2	63	4	18	4	22

Table XVIII.—MARRIAGES.—Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

Showing the Social Condition and Ages of Parties Married during the Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

Aggregate—Of all Conditions.

Age of Males.	Age of Females.														
	All Ages.	Under 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	Over 75	Unknown.
All Ages,	317,656	59,587	141,312	65,699	23,100	12,602	6,405	3,649	1,992	990	638	326	106	31	1,219
Und 20,	6,032	4,278	1,603	113	19	7	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	11
20 to 25,	119246	38173	69532	10062	1066	229	28	11	5	2	–	–	–	–	138
25 to 30,	99,695	13362	50531	30343	4245	872	140	40	6	2	–	1	–	1	152
30 to 35,	40,278	2,711	13390	14825	7199	1696	301	64	15	5	5	–	–	–	67
35 to 40,	20,357	712	4,157	6,210	5006	3301	729	159	26	5	7	–	–	–	45
40 to 45,	10.892	176	1,272	2,343	2692	2506	1451	335	62	15	3	2	2	–	33
45 to 50,	7,339	89	493	1,079	1538	1862	1268	787	170	26	6	1	–	–	20
50 to 55,	4,891	36	169	429	759	1097	1058	744	451	88	35	9	–	–	16
55 to 60,	3,178	18	74	165	331	574	680	649	414	199	46	12	2	1	13
60 to 65,	2,377	7	38	72	154	286	463	445	424	266	161	44	8	3	6
65 to 70,	1,450	4	18	26	61	104	174	270	257	213	182	113	19	1	8
70 to 75,	773	–	8	14	17	52	79	100	107	123	129	92	43	8	1
75 to 80,	288	1	2	3	4	7	22	34	41	42	56	41	25	9	1
Over 80,	88	–	3	3	1	3	9	10	12	4	6	11	7	5	14
Unk., .	772	20	22	12	8	6	2	1	2	–	2	–	–	3	694

(A.) First Marriage of both Parties.

All Ages,	250,631	56,911	128,994	49,923	10,336	2,795	666	216	83	21	14	2	3	1	662
Und. 20,	5,948	4,267	1,566	91	11	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	9
20 to 25,	114706	37659	67530	8,681	633	77	8	4	2	1	–	–	–	–	111
25 to 30,	88,567	12381	46866	26226	2611	323	35	15	1	1	–	–	–	1	107
30 to 35,	27,923	2,088	10250	10785	4061	614	66	10	3	1	–	–	–	–	45
35 to 40,	8,809	380	2,165	3,106	2026	949	142	23	2	–	1	–	–	–	10
40 to 45,	2,621	75	427	726	674	468	189	41	13	2	–	–	–	–	6
45 to 50,	1,019	29	128	223	221	223	117	64	9	–	1	–	–	–	4
50 to 55,	383	8	27	58	75	94	62	31	21	4	–	–	–	–	3
55 to 60,	144	3	10	14	15	28	31	17	16	7	1	–	–	–	2
60 to 65,	61	3	4	4	4	9	11	8	8	2	7	–	1	–	–
65 to 70,	27	–	3	1	3	3	4	1	8	1	2	1	–	–	–
70 to 75,	15	–	1	1	–	3	1	2	1	2	2	–	2	–	–
75 to 80,	2	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Over 80,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unk., .	406	18	17	8	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	360

Table XVIII. — Continued.

(B.) First Marriage of Male and Subsequent Marriage of Female.

Age of Males.	Age of Females.														
	All Ages.	Under 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	Over 75	Unknown.
All Ages,	15,423	163	2,572	4,848	3,876	2,344	939	359	152	47	34	9	4	-	76
Und 20,	77	8	35	22	8	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 to 25,	3,045	103	1,226	1,155	399	140	18	7	3	1	-	-	-	-	13
25 to 30,	4,943	41	891	2,213	1,226	446	84	16	5	-	-	1	-	-	20
30 to 35,	3,376	8	285	967	1,301	609	153	33	8	2	4	-	-	-	6
35 to 40,	2,014	2	92	347	626	629	230	61	13	3	4	-	-	-	7
40 to 45,	980	1	27	94	192	309	250	78	18	5	2	1	-	-	3
45 to 50,	489	-	10	32	73	129	118	82	38	6	-	-	-	-	1
50 to 55,	247	-	4	10	34	50	52	44	37	10	4	-	-	-	2
55 to 60,	95	-	1	4	10	18	20	18	13	8	2	-	-	-	1
60 to 65,	70	-	-	4	5	5	11	10	13	10	8	4	-	-	-
65 to 70,	23	-	-	-	-	2	1	7	4	1	6	2	-	-	-
70 to 75,	9	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	2	1	2	-	-
75 to 80.	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	2	-	-
Over 80,	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Unk., .	28	-	1	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22

(C.) Subsequent Marriage of the Male, but First Marriage of Female.

All Ages,	32,250	2,409	8,906	8,535	5,462	3,547	1777	857	378	151	67	27	5	4	125
Und. 20,	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 to 25,	1,193	371	650	150	15	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
25 to 30,	5,145	910	2,530	1,460	202	28	6	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	4
30 to 35,	7,090	596	2,677	2,443	1125	213	23	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
35 to 40,	6,587	322	1,747	2,180	1439	740	126	13	4	-	-	-	-	-	16
40 to 45,	4,453	98	746	1,207	1141	846	338	56	3	2	-	1	1	-	14
45 to 50,	3,095	58	320	634	791	744	357	165	16	4	-	-	-	-	6
50 to 55,	1,948	27	125	275	415	478	348	175	87	11	1	2	-	-	4
55 to 60,	1,222	15	58	101	194	275	265	187	87	27	6	2	1	-	4
60 to 65,	759	4	29	48	86	137	182	130	82	36	20	2	-	1	2
65 to 70,	432	4	11	22	40	53	84	84	62	44	16	10	-	-	2
70 to 75,	174	-	6	11	9	22	36	27	25	19	13	5	-	1	-
75 to 80,	54	1	2	1	1	4	5	9	8	6	10	3	3	1	-
Over 80,	23	-	1	-	1	3	5	4	4	1	1	2	-	1	-
Unk., .	74	2	4	3	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60

Table XVIII. — Concluded.

(D.) Subsequent Marriage of both Parties.

Age of Males.	Age of Females.														
	All Ages,	Under 20	20 to 25	25 to 30	30 to 35	35 to 40	40 to 45	45 to 50	50 to 55	55 to 60	60 to 65	65 to 70	70 to 75	Over 75	Unknown.
All Ages,	18,777	56	729	2308	3395	3894	3017	2213	1374	767	523	286	94	26	95
Und. 20,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 25,	178	14	77	61	16	8	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
25 to 30,	920	17	203	404	199	74	15	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	3
30 to 35,	1,844	16	166	617	703	256	59	18	4	2	1	–	–	–	2
35 to 40,	2,921	5	147	572	911	978	230	62	7	2	2	–	–	–	5
40 to 45,	2,820	2	72	312	681	877	672	160	28	6	1	–	1	–	8
45 to 50,	2,725	1	35	189	451	763	675	475	107	16	5	1	–	–	7
50 to 55,	2,305	1	13	85	233	474	595	493	305	63	30	6	–	–	7
55 to 60,	1,716	–	5	46	112	252	364	427	298	157	37	10	1	1	6
60 to 65,	1,482	–	5	15	59	135	258	297	320	216	126	38	7	2	4
65 to 70,	963	–	4	3	18	46	85	176	182	166	158	99	19	1	6
70 to 75,	574	–	1	2	7	26	42	69	81	101	112	86	39	7	1
75 to 80,	226	–	–	1	3	3	17	24	33	35	44	37	20	8	1
Over 80,	48	–	–	1	–	–	4	6	8	3	5	9	7	4	1
Unk., .	55	–	1	–	2	2	–	1	1	–	2	–	–	3	43

(E.) Condition of Parties not stated.

All Ages,	575	49	110	83	31	22	6	4	3	4	–	2	–	–	261
Und. 20,	6	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
20 to 25,	104	26	49	15	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10
25 to 30,	120	13	41	40	7	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	18
30 to 35,	45	3	12	13	9	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4
35 to 40,	26	3	6	5	4	5	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
40 to 45,	18	–	–	4	4	6	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
45 to 50,	11	1	–	1	2	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
50 to 55,	8	–	–	1	2	1	1	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
55 to 60,	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
60 to 65,	5	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
65 to 70,	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	1	–	–	–
70 to 75,	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
75 to 80,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Over 80,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unk., .	225	–	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	221

Table XIX. — DEATHS — Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

Distinguishing by Counties, by Months, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Persons who have died during the Twenty-one Years, 1865–85; also, for the entire State, the Percentage of the Numbers in each Month (distinguishing Sex) to the Total Number.

Years and Months.	SEX.	Percentage.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
21 Years.	Totals,	100·00	664,285	11,639	23,210	52,141	3,742	89,184	11,765	37,095	16,612	116,957	33,872	25,420	163,873	78,775
	Males,	49·75	330,472	5,893	11,559	26,009	1,884	44,324	5,799	18,359	8,060	57,363	16,754	12,787	82,485	39,196
	Fem.,	50·16	333,236	5,695	11,591	26,089	1,853	44,777	5,935	18,701	8,529	59,523	17,092	12,582	81,368	39,501
	Unk.,	·09	577	51	60	43	5	83	31	35	23	71	26	51	20	78
Jan.	Totals,	8·11	53,909	885	1,900	4,228	303	7,023	898	2,867	1,287	9,723	2,785	1,983	13,656	6,371
	Males,	4·03	26,786	471	916	2,161	149	3,473	448	1,417	614	4,807	1,376	961	6,836	3,157
	Fem.,	4·08	27,096	413	984	2,066	154	3,546	449	1,450	673	4,911	1,407	1,018	6,818	3,207
	Unk.,	–	27	1	–	1	–	4	1	–	–	5	2	4	2	7
Feb.	Totals,	7·61	50,521	903	1,716	3,783	298	7,200	847	2,719	1,240	8,852	2,593	2,027	12,346	5,997
	Males,	3·78	25,109	483	840	1,857	133	3,619	391	1,356	604	4,351	1,286	1,021	6,199	2,969
	Fem.,	3·82	25,371	418	872	1,920	164	3,575	453	1,360	635	4,498	1,305	1,003	6,145	3,023
	Unk.,	·01	41	2	4	6	1	6	3	3	1	3	2	3	2	5
March.	Totals,	8·50	56,493	1,079	2,001	4,327	310	7,619	1,016	3,159	1,504	9,877	2,940	2,249	13,717	6,695
	Males,	4·15	27,563	545	958	2,112	151	3,641	508	1,538	706	4,694	1,455	1,118	6,815	3,322
	Fem.,	4·34	28,880	529	1,035	2,213	159	3,971	506	1,619	796	5,178	1,482	1,124	6,901	3,367
	Unk.,	·01	50	5	8	2	–	7	2	2	2	5	3	7	1	6
April.	Totals,	8·13	54,017	996	1,990	4,211	326	7,208	932	2,960	1,386	9,328	2,796	2,198	13,175	6,511
	Males,	4·01	26,648	491	971	2,064	174	3,593	464	1,409	675	4,555	1,333	1,146	6,564	3,209
	Fem.,	4·11	27,323	500	1,013	2,143	151	3,611	465	1,545	709	4,767	1,462	1,051	6,610	3,296
	Unk.,	·01	46	5	6	4	1	4	3	6	2	6	1	1	1	6
May.	Totals,	7·85	52 190	864	1,781	3,865	306	6,922	965	2,945	1,552	9,003	2,722	2,114	12,724	6,427
	Males,	3·90	25,909	478	874	1,939	146	3,369	473	1,438	716	4,394	1,332	1,041	6,485	3,224
	Fem.,	3·95	26,246	384	904	1,926	160	3,547	485	1,504	836	4,603	1,389	1,071	6,238	3,199
	Unk.,	–	35	2	3	–	–	6	7	3	–	6	1	2	1	4

June.	Totals, .	6·80	45,160	820	1,496	3,320	251	5,981	795	2,594	1,111	8,072	2,318	1,758	11,227	5,417
	Males, .	3·40	22,605	437	740	1,674	135	2,935	412	1,269	550	3,983	1,201	894	5,701	2,674
	Fem., .	3·39	22,515	380	754	1,643	116	3,039	383	1,321	559	4,082	1,112	862	5,523	2,741
	Unk., .	·01	40	3	2	3	–	7	–	4	2	7	5	2	3	2
July.	Totals, .	9·28	61,606	918	1,824	4,925	289	7,867	932	4,045	1,476	10,981	2,890	1,923	16,328	7,208
	Males, .	4·76	31,586	453	926	2,553	159	3,978	457	2,101	757	5,519	1,470	1,025	8,405	3,783
	Fem., .	4·51	29,961	457	893	2,370	130	3,877	470	1,943	716	5,459	1,417	893	7,922	3,414
	Unk., .	01	59	8	5	2	–	12	5	1	3	3	3	5	1	11
Aug.	Totals, .	10·87	72,228	1,136	2,575	5,768	357	10,184	1,276	3,996	1,746	13,128	3,618	2,600	17,077	8,767
	Males, .	5·49	36,488	558	1,333	2,913	189	5,221	643	1,991	869	6,595	1,799	1,306	8,657	4,414
	Fem., .	5·37	35,669	569	1,237	2,850	168	4,951	630	1,999	876	6,524	1,818	1,289	8,414	4,344
	Unk., .	·01	71	9	5	5	–	12	3	6	1	9	1	5	6	9
Sept.	Totals, .	9·22	61,263	1,153	2,248	5,037	405	8,329	1,152	3,269	1,529	10,705	3,251	2,466	14,378	7,341
	Males, .	4·61	30,611	562	1,156	2,539	191	4,197	545	1,621	745	5,314	1,617	1,232	7,270	3,622
	Fem., .	4·60	30,594	589	1,083	2,494	213	4,123	606	1,644	775	5,387	1,631	1,229	7,106	3,714
	Unk., .	·01	58	2	9	4	1	9	1	4	9	4	3	5	2	5
Oct.	Totals, .	8·15	54,148	1,001	2,006	4,421	311	7,269	1,072	2,925	1,368	9,441	2,809	2,108	13,043	6,374
	Males,	4·00	26,606	488	1,019	2,154	148	3,537	533	1,440	650	4,571	1,402	1,060	6,454	3,147
	Fem., .	4·14	27,497	507	986	2,259	162	3,727	537	1,483	716	4,861	1,406	1,046	6,589	3,218
	Unk., .	.01	45	6	1	8	1	5	2	2	2	6	1	2	–	9
Nov.	Totals, .	7·48	49,693	931	1,856	4,032	288	6,624	936	2,763	1,222	8,461	2,507	1,960	12,535	5,578
	Males, .	3·69	24,505	450	904	1,960	143	3,384	466	1,348	600	4,081	1,172	965	6,288	2,744
	Fem., .	3·79	25,149	478	947	2,069	144	3,237	468	1,413	622	4,374	1,335	986	6,247	2,829
	Unk., .	–	39	3	5	3	1	3	2	2	–	6	–	9	–	5
Dec.	Totals, .	7·97	52,912	941	1,797	4,201	290	6,927	943	2,844	1,182	9,375	2,634	2,027	13,667	6,084
	Males, .	3·91	25,964	468	911	2,072	159	3,346	459	1,429	569	4,491	1,306	1,014	6,811	2,929
	Fem.,	4·05	26,892	470	876	2,125	131	3,573	482	1,414	613	4,876	1,324	1,007	6,855	3,146
	Unk., .	·01	56	3	10	4	–	8	2	1	–	8	4	6	1	9
Not stated.	Totals, .	·03	145	12	20	23	8	31	1	9	9	11	9	7	–	5
	Males, .	·02	92	9	11	11	7	31	–	2	5	5	5	4	–	2
	Fem., .	·01	43	1	7	11	1	–	1	6	3	3	4	3	–	3
	Unk., .	–	10	2	2	1	–	–	–	1	1	3	–	–	–	–

Table XX. — DEATHS. — Twenty-one Years, 1865–85.

Distinguishing by Counties, by Age, and by Sex, the Registered Number of Persons who have Died during the Twenty-one Years, 1865–85; also, for the entire State, the Percentage of the Numbers in each specified Age (distinguishing Sex) to the Total Number.

Age.	Sex.	Percentage.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
All Ages.	Totals, .	100·00	664,285	11,639	23,210	52,141	3,742	89,184	11,765	37,095	16,612	116,957	33,872	25,420	163,873	78,775
	Males, .	49·75	330,472	5,893	11,559	26,009	1,884	44,324	5,799	18,359	8,060	57,363	16,754	12,787	82,485	39,196
	Fem., .	50·16	333,236	5,695	11,591	26,089	1,853	44,777	5,935	18,701	8,529	59,523	17,092	12,582	81,368	39,501
	Unk., .	·09	577	51	60	43	5	83	31	35	23	71	26	51	20	78
Under 1	Totals, .	20·90	138,810	1,391	4,037	11,426	309	18,096	1,654	8,286	2,741	25,198	6,197	3,887	39,902	15,686
	Males, .	11·44	76,003	761	2,259	6,364	164	9,908	927	4,534	1,521	13,740	3,379	2,170	21,564	8,730
	Fem., .	9·37	62,270	581	1,725	5,041	140	8,111	697	3,722	1,202	11,393	2,793	1,666	18,318	6,881
	Unk., .	·09	537	49	53	39	5	77	30	30	18	65	25	51	20	75
1 to 19	Totals, .	6·56	43,564	385	1,227	3,643	75	5,379	474	2,685	792	7,738	1,961	1,117	12,878	5,210
	Males, .	3·40	22,597	204	666	1,847	40	2,855	254	1,352	405	3,985	1,004	594	6,696	2,695
	Fem., .	3·16	20·961	181	560	1,796	35	2,523	219	1,331	387	3,753	957	523	6,182	2,514
	Unk., .	–	6	–	1	–	–	1	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	1
20 to 39	Totals, .	3·19	21,177	235	677	1,707	40	2,734	246	1,315	402	3,766	966	546	5,917	2,626
	Males, .	1·65	10,938	124	361	884	18	1,408	133	692	207	1,932	504	274	3,045	1,356
	Fem., .	1·54	10,231	111	314	822	22	1,325	113	622	195	1,832	462	272	2,872	1,269
	Unk., .	–	8	–	2	1	–	1	–	1	–	2	–	–	–	1

3 to 4	Totals,	2·19	14,570	153	504	1,095	30	1,995	172	905	290	2,574	712	389	4,022	1,729
	Males,	1·12	7,428	81	273	544	13	1,024	96	435	134	1,353	343	181	2,052	899
	Fem.,	1·07	7,138	72	231	551	17	970	76	469	156	1,220	368	208	1,970	830
	Unk.,	–	4	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	–
4 to 5	Totals,	1·63	10,838	109	376	823	38	1,501	128	685	206	1,976	540	267	2,930	1,259
	Males,	81	5,410	56	172	417	16	734	60	343	105	1,012	270	139	1,502	584
	Fem.,	·82	5,428	53	204	406	22	767	68	342	101	964	270	128	1,428	675
Totals under 5.	Totals,	34·47	228,959	2,273	6,821	18,694	492	29,705	2,674	13,876	4,431	41,252	10,376	6,206	65,649	26,510
	Males,	18·42	122,376	1,226	3,731	10,038	251	15,929	1,470	7,356	2,372	22,022	5,500	3,358	34,859	14,264
	Fem.,	15·96	106,028	998	3,034	8,616	236	13,696	1,173	6,486	2,041	19,162	4,850	2,797	30,770	12,169
	Unk.,	·09	555	49	56	40	5	80	31	34	18	68	26	51	20	77
5 to 10	Totals,	4·14	27,473	365	1,072	2,179	111	3,762	393	1,772	630	5,038	1,458	905	6,694	3,094
	Males,	2·08	13,816	196	544	1,137	53	1,852	204	894	303	2,562	748	451	3,345	1,527
	Fem.,	2·06	13,654	169	527	1,041	58	1,910	189	878	327	2,476	710	454	3,349	1,566
	Unk.,	–	3	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
10 to 15	Totals,	2·02	13,398	244	615	1,077	58	1,813	252	804	386	2,435	731	561	2,686	1,736
	Males,	·96	6,341	106	268	513	23	829	112	439	188	1,166	352	252	1,280	813
	Fem.,	1·06	7,057	138	347	564	35	984	140	365	198	1,269	379	309	1,406	923
15 to 20	Totals,	3·56	23,646	433	932	1,847	90	3,232	434	1,635	705	4,101	1,227	866	5,121	3,023
	Males,	1·54	10,274	202	398	767	49	1,348	190	687	277	1,755	573	359	2,370	1,299
	Fem.,	2·02	13,371	231	534	1,080	41	1,884	244	948	427	2,346	654	507	2,751	1,724
	Unk.,	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
20 to 30	Totals,	9·89	65,657	1,206	2,180	4,679	288	8,610	1,089	3,754	1,516	11,654	3,165	2,383	17,552	7,581
	Males,	4·49	29,803	609	989	2,111	170	3,763	478	1,659	650	4,987	1,434	1,131	8,403	3,419
	Fem.,	5·40	35,853	596	1,191	2,568	118	4,847	611	2,095	866	6,667	1,731	1,252	9,149	4,162
	Unk.,	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

TABLE XX. — Concluded.

Age.	Sex.	Percentage.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
30 to 40	Totals, .	8·02	53,238	891	1,613	3,787	264	6,991	819	2,757	1,248	9,549	2,501	1,793	15,344	5,681
	Males, .	3·70	24,548	413	693	1,767	145	3,134	339	1,212	528	4,223	1,106	794	7,639	2,555
	Fem., .	4·32	28,690	478	920	2,020	119	3,857	480	1,545	720	5,326	1,395	999	7,705	3,126
40 to 50	Totals, .	6·97	46,331	764	1,454	3,425	220	6,022	764	2,388	1,146	8,075	2,207	1,627	13,153	5,086
	Males, .	3·46	23,011	381	696	1,680	106	2,948	358	1,169	543	3,904	1,085	813	6,867	2,461
	Fem., .	3·51	23,319	383	757	1,745	114	3,074	406	1,219	603	4,171	1,122	814	6,286	2,625
	Unk., .	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
50 to 60	Totals, .	6·97	46,348	829	1,626	3,601	302	5,934	900	2,364	1,224	8,208	2,429	1,889	11,604	5,438
	Males, .	3·63	24,072	425	828	1,885	153	2,983	473	1,223	593	4,254	1,271	1,041	6,124	2,819
	Fem., .	3·34	22,276	404	798	1,716	149	2,951	427	1,141	631	3,954	1,158	848	5,480	2,619
60 to 70	Totals, .	8·30	55,166	1,335	2,257	4,441	513	7,235	1,331	2,720	1,673	9,681	3,226	2,693	11,274	6,787
	Males, .	4·31	28,644	711	1,170	2,355	285	3,671	689	1,376	860	5,011	1,730	1,468	5,710	3,608
	Fem., .	3·99	26,522	624	1,087	2,086	228	3,564	642	1,344	813	4,670	1,496	1,225	5,564	3,179
70 to 80	Totals, .	8·69	57,733	1,843	2,493	4,561	697	8,106	1,595	2,798	2,030	9,624	3,598	3,569	9,109	7,710
	Males, .	4·19	27,816	949	1,237	2,196	344	3,834	774	1,375	1,022	4,596	1,769	1,854	4,012	3,854
	Fem., .	4·50	29,917	894	1,256	2,365	353	4,272	821	1,423	1,008	5,028	1,829	1,715	5,097	3,856
80 to 90	Totals, .	5·35	35,573	1,175	1,604	2,982	560	4,968	1,213	1,720	1,295	5,754	2,397	2,403	4,667	4,835
	Males, .	2·20	14,625	548	752	1,199	250	1,972	583	757	585	2,296	964	1,070	1,557	2,092
	Fem., .	3·15	20,948	627	852	1,783	310	2,996	630	963	710	3,458	1,433	1,333	3,110	2,743

90 to 100	Totals, .	·93	6,151	187	296	534	100	839	209	300	210	1,030	411	420	783	832
	Males, .	·30	2,008	72	119	176	29	257	79	109	84	323	135	146	228	251
	Fem., .	·63	4,143	115	177	358	71	582	130	191	126	707	276	274	555	581
Over 100.	Totals, .	·05	333	3	26	28	3	30	6	19	6	69	13	10	69	51
	Males, .	·02	107	1	13	9	–	6	2	7	2	22	4	2	23	16
	Fem., .	·03	226	2	13	19	3	24	4	12	4	47	9	8	46	35
Not Stated.	Totals, .	·64	4,279	91	221	306	44	1,937	86	188	112	487	133	95	168	411
	Males, .	·45	3,031	54	121	176	26	1,798	48	96	53	242	83	48	68	218
	Fem., .	·19	1,232	36	98	128	18	136	38	91	55	242	50	47	100	193
	Unk., .	–	16	1	2	2	–	3	–	1	4	3	–	–	–	–

Divorces in Massachusetts.

1885.

DIVORCES.—THE STATE AND COUNTIES—By Statute Causes.—1885.

Distinguishing, by Sex, the Libellants; Libels Contested and Uncontested; Number of Years Married; and Divorces Granted and Refused.

STATE,

Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	1,379
" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	678
" " filed during the year 1885,	960
" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	568
Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	672
Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	974

Causes.	Libellants.			Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce.		Number of Years Married.									
	No.	Sex.				Granted.	Refused.	Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,*	160	Males,	85	72	13	81	4	–	–	19	27	33	6	–	–	1,576	9·85
		Fem.,	75	60	15	70	5	–	1	13	24	30	6	–	1		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	60	Males,	4	3	1	2	2	–	–	–	–	3	1	–	–	574	9·57
		Fem.,	56	46	10	53	3	1	1	19	13	17	4	1	–		
Desertion,	330	Males,	129	114	15	117	12	–	–	12	41	47	24	5	–	4,227	12·81
		Fem.,	201	184	17	189	12	–	–	20	73	79	16	13	–		
Extreme cruelty,	37	Males,	4	3	1	3	1	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	374	10·11
		Fem.,	33	26	7	32	1	–	–	6	10	12	4	1	–		
Imprisonment,	5	Fem.,	5	5	–	5	–	–	–	–	3	2	–	–	–	46	9·20

Impotency,	3	Males,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	25	8·33
		Fem.,	2	1	1	2	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–		
Intoxication,	89	Males,	11	10	1	10	1	–	–	2	2	5	2	–	–	1,140	12·81
		Fem.,	78	73	5	76	2	1	–	10	16	41	6	4	–		
Non-support,	9	Fem.,	9	9	–	5	4	–	–	1	3	4	1	–	–	103	11·44
Totals,	693	Males,	234	203	31	214	20	–	–	35	71	90	33	5	–	8,065	11 64
		Fem.,	459	404	55	432	27	2	2	70	142	186	37	19	1		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Without Prejudice.	By Agreement, or Consent, or Request of Libellant.	Want of Prosecution.	Death of Libellant or Libellee.	Other Causes, and Causes not stated.
Adultery,	83	Males,	45	4	10	13	–	18
		Fem.,	38	3	5	18	–	12
Cruel and abusive treatment,	43	Males,	4	–	–	2	1	1
		Fem.,	39	1	4	6	1	27
Desertion,	82	Males,	46	2	6	20	3	15
		Fem.,	36	4	5	15	2	10
Extreme cruelty,	20	Fem.,	20	5	5	6	–	4
Impotency,	1	Males,	1	–	–	–	–	1
Intoxication,	38	Males,	15	–	1	2	–	12
		Fem.,	23	3	4	5	2	9
Non-support,	14	Fem.,	14	3	1	2	–	8
Totals,	281	Males,	111	7	17	37	4	47
		Fem.,	170	19	24	52	5	70

* In four cases District Attorney notified.

Divorces, 1885. — Continued.

BARNSTABLE,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	3
	pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	2
	filed during the year 1885,	18
	in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	13
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	13
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	14

Causes.	Libellants.			Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce.		Number of Years Married.									
	No.	Sex.				Granted.	Refused.	Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,*	4	Males,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	36	9.00
		Fem.,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–		
Desertion,	9	Males,	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	116	12.89
		Fem.,	9	9	–	9	–	–	–	1	3	4	–	1	–		
Totals,	13	Males,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	152	11.69
		Fem.,	11	11	–	11	–	–	–	1	5	4	–	1	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants.			By Agreement or Consent, or Request of Libellant.
	No.	Sex.		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	1	Fem.,	1	1

* In one case District Attorney notified.

BERKSHIRE,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	29
	" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	22
	" " filed during the year 1885,	27
	" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	18
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	24
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	27

CAUSES.	Libellants.			Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce.		Number of Years Married.									
	No.	Sex.				Granted.	Refused.	Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	4	Males,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	55	13·75
		Fem.,	3	3	–	3	–	–	–	–	1	2	–	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	9	9·00
Desertion,	12	Males,	8	8	–	7	1	–	–	–	2	2	4	–	–	173	14·42
		Fem.,	4	4	–	4	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–		
Extreme cruelty,	4	Males,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	38	9·50
		Fem.,	3	3	–	3	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–		
Impotency,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	3	3·00
Intoxication,	2	Fem.,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	35	17·50
Totals,	24	Males,	10	10	–	9	1	–	–	1	2	3	4	–	–	313	13·21
		Fem.,	14	14	–	14	–	–	–	3	4	4	2	1	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants.			Causes not stated.
	No.	Sex.		
Desertion,	1	Males,	1	1
Extreme cruelty,	1	Fem.,	1	1
Intoxication,	1	Fem.,	1	1
Totals,	3	Males,	1	1
		Fem.,	2	2

Divorces, 1885 — Continued.

BRISTOL,

Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	90
" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	41
" " filed during the year 1885,	74
" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	55
Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	53
Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	81

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	13	Males,	8	7	1	8	–	–	–	–	5	3	–	–	–	120	9·23
		Fem.,	5	4	1	5	–	–	1	1	1	2	–	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	5	Males,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	61	12·20
		Fem.,	4	3	1	4	–	1	–	–	1	1	1	–	–		
Desertion,	25	Males,	13	12	1	13	–	–	–	1	6	5	1	–	–	305	12·20
		Fem.,	12	12	–	12	–	–	–	3	4	3	2	–	–		
Imprisonment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	14	14·00
Impotency,	1	Fem.,	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	12	12·00
Intoxication,	6	Fem.,	6	6	–	6	–	–	–	1	–	3	–	2	–	120	20·00
Totals,	51	Males,	22	20	2	22	–	–	–	1	11	8	2	–	–	632	12·39
		Fem.,	29	26	3	29	–	1	1	5	6	11	3	2	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex		Without Prejudice.	Want of Prosecution.	Other Causes, and Causes not stated.
Adultery,	6	Males,	4	1	–	3
		Fem.,	2	–	1	1
Cruel and abusive treatment,	9	Males,	1	–	–	1
		Fem.,	8	–	–	8
Desertion,	5	Males,	5	–	1	4
Impotency,	1	Males,	1	–	–	1
Intoxication,	5	Males,	2	–	–	2
		Fem.,	3	–	–	3
Non-support,	4	Fem.,	4	–	–	4
Totals,	30	Males,	13	1	1	11
		Fem.,	17	–	1	16

DUKES,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	3
	" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	1
	" " filed during the year 1885,	3
	" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	3
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	–
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	2

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Causes not stated.
Adultery,	1	Males,	1	1
Non-support,	1	Fem.,	1	1
Totals,	2	Males,	1	1
		Fem.,	1	1

Divorces, 1885. — Continued.

ESSEX,

Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	182
" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	104
" " filed during the year 1885,	122
" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	68
Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	74
Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	102

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery. . . .	15	Males,	7	4	3	6	1	–	–	–	3	4	–	–	–	159	10.60
		Fem.,.	8	6	2	7	1	–	–	1	3	1	2	–	1		
Cruel and abusive treatment, . .	4	Fem.,.	4	4	–	4	–	–	–	2	2	–	–	–	–	23	5.75
Desertion, . .	43	Males,	15	15	–	15	–	–	–	–	7	5	1	2	–	603	14.02
		Fem.,.	28	26	2	25	3	–	–	–	11	11	3	3	–		
Extreme cruelty, .	3	Males,	3	2	1	2	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	54	18.00
Intoxication, . .	15	Males,	3	3	–	2	1	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	178	11.87
		Fem.,.	12	12	–	11	1	–	–	3	1	7	1	–	–		
Non-support, . .	4	Males,	4	4	–	2	2	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	51	22.75
Totals, . .	84	Males,	25	22	3	23	2	–	–	–	11	10	2	2	–	1,068	12.71
		Fem ,.	59	54	5	51	8	–	–	6	20	21	7	4	1		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Death of Libellant or Libellee.	Other Causes, and Causes not stated.
Adultery, ...	7	Males, .	4	–	4
		Fem., .	3	–	3
Cruel and abusive treatment, . .	3	Fem., .	3	1	2
Desertion, ...	4	Males, .	2	–	2
		Fem., .	2	–	2
Intoxication, ...	4	Males, .	3	–	3
		Fem , .	1	1	–
Totals, ...	18	Males, .	9	–	9
		Fem., .	9	2	7

FRANKLIN,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	15
	" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	6
	" " filed during the year 1885,	5
	" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	8
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	12
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	11

CAUSES.	Libellants.			Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce.		Number of Years Married.									
	No.	Sex.				Granted.	Refused.	Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	5	Males,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	46	9·20
		Fem.,	3	3	–	3	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	18	18·00
Desertion,	5	Males,	4	3	1	4	–	–	–	–	1	2	1	–	–	77	15·40
		Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–		
Intoxication,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	30	30·00
Totals,	12	Males,	6	5	1	6	–	–	–	–	2	3	1	–	–	171	14·25
		Fem.,	6	6	–	6	–	–	–	1	1	3	–	1	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants.			By Agreement, or Consent, or Request of Libellant.	Death of Libellant or Libellee.
	No.	Sex.			
Adultery,	1	Males,	1	1	–
Desertion,	1	Fem.,	1	–	1
Totals,	2	Males,	1	1	–
		Fem.,	1	–	1

Divorces, 1885. — Continued.

HAMPDEN,

Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	93
" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	59
" " filed during the year 1885,	70
" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	49
Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	70
Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	83

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	13	Males,	6	3	3	6	–	–	–	4	1	1	–	–	–	102	7·85
		Fem.,	7	6	1	7	–	–	–	2	1	3	1	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	13	Males,	2	2	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	144	11·08
		Fem.,	11	9	2	10	1	–	–	3	1	7	–	–	–		
Desertion,	34	Males,	13	10	3	12	1	–	–	1	4	4	3	1	–	495	14·56
		Fem.,	21	18	3	20	1	–	–	2	6	8	3	2	–		
Extreme cruelty,	2	Males,	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	10	5·00
		Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–		
Intoxication,	8	Fem.,	8	6	2	8	–	–	–	–	2	5	1	–	–	103	12·87
Non-support,	3	Fem.,	3	3	–	2	1	–	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	39	13·00
Totals,	73	Males,	22	15	7	20	2	–	–	5	6	7	3	1	–	893	12·23
		Fem.,	51	43	8	48	3	–	–	8	11	25	5	2	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Want of Prosecution.	Other Causes, and Causes not stated.
Adultery,	2	Males,	1	–	1
		Fem.,	1	–	1
Desertion,	5	Males,	3	1	2
		Fem.,	2	–	2
Intoxication,	2	Males,	1	–	1
		Fem.,	1	–	1
Non-support,	1	Fem.,	1	–	1
Totals,	10	Males,	5	1	4
		Fem.,	5	–	5

HAMPSHIRE,

Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	20
" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	3
" " filed during the year 1885,	16
" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	8
Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	6
Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	16

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	3	Males,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	41	13.67
		Fem.,	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–		
Desertion,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	8	8.00
Extreme cruelty,	2	Males,	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	23	11 50
		Fem.,	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–		
Imprisonment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	10	10,00
Totals,	7	Males,	3	3	–	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	82	11.71
		Fem.,	4	2	2	4	–	–	–	–	1	2	1	–	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Without Prejudice.	By Agreement, or Consent, or Request of Libellant.	Want of Prosecution.	Other Causes, and Causes not stated.
Adultery,	1	Fem.,	1	–	–	–	1
Desertion,	5	Males,	5	2	–	1	2
Intoxication,	2	Fem.,	2	1	1	–	–
Non-support,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	–	–
Totals,	9	Males,	5	2	–	1	2
		Fem.,	4	2	1	–	1

Divorces, 1885. — Continued.

MIDDLESEX,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	211
	" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	84
	" " filed during the year 1885,	144
	" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	107
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	96
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	163

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,*	24	Males,	10	7	3	9	1	–	–	2	1	5	2	–	–	306	12·75
		Fem.,	14	9	5	13	1	–	–	2	3	8	1	–	–		
Desertion,	55	Males,	25	21	4	22	3	–	–	4	5	10	5	1	–	710	12·91
		Fem.,	30	25	5	25	5	–	–	1	15	11	1	2	–		
Extreme cruelty,	12	Fem.,	12	11	1	12	–	–	–	3	5	3	1	–	–	98	8·17
Imprisonment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	8	8·00
Impotency,	1	Males,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	10	10·00
Intoxication,	10	Males,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	156	15·60
		Fem.,	8	6	2	7	1	–	–	–	1	6	1	–	–		
Non-support,	1	Males,	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	3	3·00
Totals,	104	Males,	38	31	7	34	4	–	–	6	7	17	7	1	–	1,291	12·41
		Fem.,	66	53	13	58	8	–	–	7	25	28	4	2	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Without Prejudice.	By Agreement, or Consent, or Request of Libellant.	Want of Prosecution.	Death of Libellant or Libellee.
Adultery,	22	Males,	12	3	5	4	–
		Fem.,	10	3	–	7	–
Cruel and abusive treatment,	3	Fem.,	3	–	–	3	–
Desertion,	21	Males,	10	–	3	7	–
		Fem.,	11	4	–	6	1
Extreme cruelty,	7	Fem.,	7	5	1	1	–
Intoxication,	4	Males,	1	–	–	1	–
		Fem.,	3	2	1	–	–
Non-support,	2	Fem.,	2	2	–	–	–
Totals,	59	Males,	23	3	8	12	–
		Fem.,	36	16	2	17	1

* In one case District Attorney notified.

NANTUCKET,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	1
	" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	-
	" " filed during the year 1885,	2
	" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	1
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	-
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	2

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants.			Causes not stated.
	No.	Sex.		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	1	Fem.,	1	1
Non-support,	1	Fem.,	1	1
Totals,	2	Fem.,	2	2

Divorces, 1885. — Continued.

NORFOLK,

Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	59
" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	26
" " filed during the year 1885,	36
" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	27
Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	33
Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	41

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	9	Males,	5	5	–	4	1	–	–	2	–	3	–	–	–	63	7.00
		Fem.,	4	3	1	3	1	–	–	3	1	–	–	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	2.00
Desertion,	16	Males,	8	8	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	6	2	–	–	229	14 31
		Fem.,	8	7	1	8	–	–	–	–	3	3	–	2	–		
Extreme cruelty,	2	Males,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	21	10.50
		Fem.,	1	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–		
Imprisonment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	8	8.00
Intoxication,	6	Fem.,	6	6	–	6	–	–	–	1	2	2	1	–	–	73	12.17
Totals,	35	Males,	14	14	–	13	1	–	–	2	–	10	2	–	–	396	11.31
		Fem.,	21	18	3	20	1	–	–	5	8	5	1	2	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		By Agreement, or Consent, or Request of Libellant.	Other Causes, or Causes not stated.	Want of Prosecution.
Adultery,	2	Males,	1	1	–	–
		Fem.,	1	–	1	–
Desertion,	1	Fem.,	1	–	1	–
Extreme cruelty,	1	Fem.,	1	–	1	–
Intoxication,	2	Males,	1	1	–	–
		Fem.,	1	–	–	1
Totals,	6	Males,	2	2	–	–
		Fem.,	4	–	3	1

PLYMOUTH,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	58
	" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	28
	" " filed during the year 1885,	41
	" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	19
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	27
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	41

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	4	Males,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	29	7.25
		Fem.,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	2	Fem.,	2	2	–	2	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	10	5.00
Desertion,	11	Males,	4	3	1	4	–	–	–	–	2	1	1	–	–	89	8.09
		Fem.,	7	7	–	7	–	–	–	4	3	–	–	–	–		
Intoxication,	6	Fem.,	6	6	–	6	–	–	–	1	3	2	–	–	–	54	9.00
Totals,	23	Males,	6	5	1	6	–	–	–	–	4	1	1	–	–	182	7.91
		Fem.,	17	17	–	17	–	–	–	6	8	3	–	–	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		By Agreement, or Consent, or Request of Libellant.	Other Causes, or Causes not stated.
Cruel and abusive treatment,	3	Fem.,	3	–	3
Desertion,	6	Males,	3	3	–
		Fem.,	3	3	–
Extreme cruelty,	5	Fem.,	5	3	2
Intoxication,	3	Fem.,	3	2	1
Non-support,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–
Totals,	18	Males,	3	3	–
		Fem.,	15	9	6

Divorces, 1885. — Continued.

SUFFOLK,

Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	495
" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	255
" " filed during the year 1885,	300
" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	106
Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	193
Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	287

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,*	43	Males,	25	22	3	24	1	–	–	7	9	9	–	–	–	383	8·09
		Fem.,	18	15	3	16	2	–	–	1	7	9	1	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	26	Males,	1	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	202	7·77
		Fem.,	25	19	6	23	2	–	1	11	6	5	2	–	–		
Desertion,	88	Males,	25	22	3	19	6	–	–	4	9	9	2	1	–	1,010	11·48
		Fem.,	63	59	4	60	3	–	–	8	21	26	5	3	–		
Extreme cruelty,	9	Fem.,	9	8	1	9	–	–	–	2	1	5	1	–	–	93	10·33
Imprisonment,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	6	6·00
Intoxication,	27	Males,	5	4	1	5	–	–	–	2	–	3	–	–	–	276	10·22
		Fem.,	22	21	1	22	–	1	–	3	6	10	2	–	–		
Totals,	194	Males,	56	48	8	48	8	–	–	13	18	22	2	1	–	1,970	10·15
		Fem.,	138	123	15	131	7	1	1	25	42	55	11	3	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Without Prejudice.	By Agreement, or Consent, or Request of Libellant.	Want of Prosecution.	Death of Libellant or Libellee.	Other Causes, and Causes not stated.
Adultery,	34	Males,	16	–	3	4	–	9
		Fem.,	18	–	5	8	–	5
Cruel and abusive treatment,	20	Males,	1	–	–	–	1	–
		Fem.,	19	1	3	2	–	13
Desertion,	25	Males,	11	–	–	5	2	4
		Fem.,	14	–	2	6	1	5
Extreme cruelty,	2	Fem.,	2	–	–	1	–	1
Intoxication,	10	Males,	7	–	–	1	–	6
		Fem.,	3	–	–	–	–	3
Non-support,	2	Fem.,	2	–	–	1	–	1
Totals,	93	Males,	35	–	3	10	3	19
		Fem.,	58	1	10	18	1	28

* Two cases in which District Attorney was notified.

WORCESTER,	Number of libels pending January 1, 1885 (including all cases, whether decrees *nisi* had been entered or not),	120
	" " pending January 1, 1885, in which decrees *nisi* had been entered at that date,	47
	" " filed during the year 1885,	102
	" " in which decrees *nisi* were entered during the year 1885,	86
	Number of cases in which *nisi* decrees had been entered (whether pending January 1, or since entered) which were finally disposed of during the year 1885,	71
	Number of cases finally determined in 1885,	101

Causes.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Not contested.	Contested.	Divorce. Granted.	Divorce. Refused.	Number of Years Married. Under 6 mos.	Under 1 year.	1 to 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 30	Over 30	Unk.	Aggregate.	Average.
Adultery,	23	Males,	15	15	–	15	–	–	–	3	5	4	3	–	–	236	10·26
		Fem.,	8	7	1	8	–	–	–	2	3	2	1	–	–		
Cruel and abusive treatment,	7	Fem.,	7	6	1	7	–	–	–	1	1	3	1	1	–	105	15·00
Desertion,	31	Males,	14	12	2	13	1	–	–	2	5	3	4	–	–	412	13·29
		Fem.,	17	15	2	17	–	–	–	–	5	11	1	–	–		
Extreme cruelty,	3	Fem.,	3	1	2	3	–	–	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	37	12·33
Intoxication,	8	Males,	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	115	14·37
		Fem.,	7	7	–	7	–	–	–	–	1	6	–	–	–		
Non-support,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–	1	–	–		–	–	1	–	–	–	10	10·00
Totals,	73	Males,	30	28	2	29	1	–	–	5	10	7	8	–	–	915	12·53
		Fem.,	43	37	6	43	–	–	–	3	11	25	3	1	–		

Libels Dismissed.	Libellants. No.	Libellants. Sex.		Want of Prosecution.	Death of Libellant or Libellee.
Adultery,	7	Males,	5	5	–
		Fem.,	2	2	–
Cruel and abusive treatment,	3	Males,	2	2	–
		Fem.,	1	1	–
Desertion,	8	Males,	5	5	–
		Fem.,	3	3	–
Extreme cruelty,	4	Fem.,	4	4	–
Intoxication,	5	Fem.,	5	4	1
Non-support,	1	Fem.,	1	1	–
Totals,	28	Males,	12	12	–
		Fem.,	16	15	1

Medical Examiners' Returns.

1885.

MEDICAL EXAMINERS' RETURNS.

Table I. — By State and Counties.

Exhibiting the Number of Casualties, Suicides, Homicides and Other Deaths in each County which have been Investigated during the Year 1885.

	Percentage.	State.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Nantucket.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
Number of deaths investigated,	100·00	1,278	9	48	99	–	168	26	76	29	226	3	53	24	400	117
Casualties, Totals,	44·37	567	1	19	25	–	77	12	35	12	96	1	21	13	191	64
Casualties, Railroad accidents,	–	204	–	12	9	–	23	3	16	3	36	–	6	–	64	32
Casualties, Drowning,	–	182	1	2	7	–	31	5	15	6	30	–	10	9	48	18
Casualties, Other accidents,	–	181	–	5	9	–	23	4	4	3	30	1	5	4	79	14
Suicides, Totals,	14·17	181	1	10	16	–	14	5	7	3	34	–	17	4	52	18
Suicides, By drowning,	–	29	1	1	4	–	–	1	2	1	8	–	2	1	6	2
Suicides, hanging,	–	44	–	2	4	–	3	2	–	–	8	–	5	–	15	5
Suicides, shooting,	–	49	–	5	6	–	6	–	1	1	8	–	5	1	10	6
Suicides, other methods,*	–	59	–	2	2	–	5	2	4	1	10	–	5	2	21	5
Homicides,	3·52	45	1	3	6	–	7	1	2	–	6	1	3	–	10	5
Other deaths,	37·94	485	6	16	52	–	70	8	32	14	87	1	12	7	147	30

* Sixteen cases of cutting throat.

Table II. — CAUSES OF DEATHS, investigated by the Medical Examiners. — Alphabetical Arrangement.

Distinguishing by Months, by Age, and by Sex, the Number of Deaths and Causes of the same, as returned by the Medical Examiners, for the year

1885.

[Still-born included.]

Sex.	Deaths. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	Months. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Ages. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 40	40 to 60	60 to 70	Over 70	Unknown.	Still-born.
Persons, .	.	.	.	1,278	89	68	88	104	106	106	154	127	109	126	96	105	106	58	116	370	295	137	110	28	58
Males, .	973	.	.	.	61	49	63	78	79	77	127	107	81	95	73	83	62	48	103	301	237	98	77	24	23
Females, .	.	286	.	.	28	18	24	24	22	26	26	20	26	29	21	22	44	10	13	69	58	39	33	4	16
Unknown, .	.	.	19	.	–	1	1	2	5	3	1	–	2	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	19

TABLE II. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 40	40 to 60	60 to 70	Over 70	Unknown.	Still-born.
Fem.	.	8	.	8	1	–	1	2	1	–	–	1	–	2	–	–	Abortion (Criminal), . .	–	–	1	7	–	–	–	–	–
Males	3	.	.	4	–	–	–	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Aneurism, ...	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	"	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
Males	1	.	.	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	Angina Pectoris, ...	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	" "	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Males	29	.	.	42	3	1	2	6	1	5	1	–	–	5	2	3	Apoplexy, ...	1	–	1	6	13	2	6	–	–
Fem.	.	13	.	.	2	2	–	2	2	1	2	1	1	–	–	–	"	–	–	–	2	6	1	4	–	–
Males	6	.	.	8	–	–	1	–	1	1	1	2	–	–	–	–	Bowels, Disease of, . .	5	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	" " . .	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Males	2	.	.	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	Brain, Disease of, . . .	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	" " . . .	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Males	2	.	.	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	Bright's Disease, . . .	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Males	1	.	.	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Bronchitis, ...	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	2	.	.	3	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Cancer, ...	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	"	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–

Males	7	.	.	15	1	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	Casualties—Burns and Scalds,	2	–	–	2	2	–	1	–	–
Fem.	.	8	.	.	–	–	2	2	–	1	–	1	–	1	1	–	" "	1	1	1	3	1	–	1	–	–
Males	170	.	.	182	8	2	3	12	16	19	47	20	16	9	5	13	" Drowning, .	4	27	53	42	28	8	3	5	–
Fem.	.	12	.	.	–	–	–	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	–	1	" .	3	2	1	2	3	–	1	–	–
Males	193	.	.	204	11	6	9	10	9	17	28	31	15	20	22	15	" Railroad, . .	4	9	25	88	35	13	10	9	–
Fem.	.	11	.	.	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–	2	1	3	" . .	1	–	1	2	3	2	1	1	–
Males	138	.	.	166	12	7	11	6	13	7	11	13	11	17	11	19	Other casualties,* . .	12	9	15	44	40	13	2	3	–
Fem.	.	28	.	.	2	2	–	3	3	3	4	2	3	2	3	1	" " . .	6	3	1	5	6	6	1	–	–
Fem.	.	3	.	3	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	Childbirth,†	–	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–
Males	2	.	.	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	Cholera Infantum, . .	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	" " . . .	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	6	.	.	11	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	2	1	–	1	–	Convulsions, ...	5	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	5	.	.	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	"	3	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Croup, ...	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	1	.	.	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Cystitis, ...	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
Males	2	.	.	7	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	Debility, ...	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	5	.	.	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	"	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	1	.	.	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Diphtheria, ...	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	3	.	.	7	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	Epilepsy, ...	–	–	2	–	–	1	–	–	–
Fem.	.	4	.	.	1	–	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	"	–	–	1	3	–	–	–	–	–

* Not including deaths by exposure and suffocation.

† One case, malpractice; one, miscarriage.

TABLE II. — Continued.

SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 40	40 to 60	60 to 70	Over 70	Unknown.	Still-born.
Males	2	.	.	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	Erysipelas,	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–
Males	6	.	.	9	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	Exposure	–	–	–	3	1	1	1	–	–
Fem.	.	3	.	.	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	"	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	–
Males	1	.	.	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Fits,	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Males	1	.	.	2	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Gastritis,	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	"	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	Hæmatemesis,	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Males	95	.	.	147	9	6	9	6	7	8	7	9	6	12	6	10	Heart Disease,	–	–	–	16	27	24	27	1	–
Fem.	.	52	.	.	9	6	4	5	2	4	4	3	–	5	6	4	" "	2	–	–	5	15	17	12	1	–
Males	2	.	.	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	Heat,	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
Males	11	.	.	13	1	1	–	1	–	–	1	1	3	–	1	2	Hemorrhage of Lungs and	1	–	1	2	6	–	1	–	–
Fem.	.	2	.	.	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	Consumption,	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–
Males	1	.	.	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Hernia,	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
Males	26	.	.	45	–	1	2	2	4	4	5	3	2	2	–	1	Homicide,	5	–	1	11	6	2	1	–	–
Fem.	.	19	.	.	2	1	2	1	2	–	3	–	4	1	1	2	"	6	–	2	6	3	1	1	–	–

Males	38	.	.	54	1	4	4	3	4	1	4	2	4	5	2	4	Intemperance,	-	-	1	12	20	3	1	1	-
Fem.	.	16	.	.	-	2	4	1	-	1	-	2	2	2	1	1	"	-	-	-	8	4	3	-	1	-
Fem.	.	1	.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	Kidney Disease,	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Males	1	.	.	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Lungs, Disease of,	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fem	.	1	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	" "	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	3	.	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	Malformation,	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	1	.	.	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Marasmus,	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	6	.	.	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	2	-	Old Age,	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-
Fem.	.	4	.	.	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	" "	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
Males	1	.	.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	Paralysis,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Males	1	.	.	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Peritonitis,	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Males	1	.	.	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Pleurisy,	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Males	9	.	.	10	1	1	3	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	Pneumonia,	-	-	-	2	3	3	1	-	-
Fem.	.	1	.	.	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Fem.	.	1	.	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Scarlatina (Maligna),	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Males	19	.	.	34	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	2	4	.	1	Sudden and unknown,	6	1	-	5	2	1	2	2	-
Fem.	.	15	.	.	1	-	4	-	1	1	-	2	1	2	2	1	" "	6	1	-	1	4	2	1	-	-
Males	21	.	.	29	1	1	-	4	4	-	1	3	2	3	1	1	Suicides—By Drowning,	-	-	1	8	9	2	1	-	-
Fem.	.	8	.	.	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	2	1	1	1	"	-	-	3	4	1	-	-	-	-

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SEX.	DEATHS. Sex. Males.	Fem.	Unk.	Totals.	MONTHS. January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES. Under 5	5 to 10	10 to 20	20 to 40	40 to 60	60 to 70	Over 70	Unknown.	Still-born.
Males	34	.	.	45	–	1	1	6	4	3	4	4	2	3	1	5	Suicides—By Hanging, .	–	–	–	15	8	3	8	–	–
Fem.	.	11	.	.	–	–	1	2	1	–	1	–	1	3	–	2	" .	–	–	–	3	4	3	1	–	–
Males	29	.	.	38	1	–	1	5	1	3	3	1	5	3	5	1	" By Poison, . .	–	–	–	10	15	4	–	–	–
Fem.	.	9	.	.	–	–	–	–	1	2	3	1	–	–	1	1	" . .	–	–	–	7	1	1	–	–	–
Males	48	.	.	49	–	3	6	7	5	3	4	4	4	4	3	5	" By Shooting, .	–	–	2	19	10	11	4	2	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	" .	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Males	15	.	.	20	3	2	1	–	–	–	2	2	1	1	3	–	" By other methods,	–	–	–	9	5	1	–	–	–
Fem.	.	5	.	.	–	–	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	" "	–	–	–	1	3	1	–	–	–
Males	10	.	.	16	1	3	–	1	–	–	–	2	–	1	2	–	Suffocation, ...	8	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	6	.	.	1	–	1	1	–	–	1	–	1	–	1	–	"	4	–	–	–	1	–	1	–	–
Males	2	.	.	3	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Syphilis, ...	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	.	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	"	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fem.	.	1	.	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	Whooping Cough, . .	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Males	23	.	.	58	2	1	3	2	1	2	1	3	3	2	1	2	Still-born, ...	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	23
Fem.	.	16	.	.	1	1	–	2	3	1	1	1	3	1	–	2	"	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	16
Unk.	.	.	19	.	–	1	1	2	5	3	1	–	2	2	2	–	"	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	19

APPENDIX.

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LAWS

CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

[Public Statutes — Chapter 32.]

OF THE REGISTRY AND RETURN OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

SECTION 1. The clerk of each city and town shall receive or obtain, and record and index, the following facts concerning the births, marriages and deaths therein, separately numbering and recording the same in the order in which he receives them, designating in separate columns as follows: —

In the record of births, the date of birth, the place of birth, the name of the child, (if it has any,) the sex and color of the child, the names and the places of birth of the parents, the occupation of the father, the residence of the parents, and the date of the record;

In the record of marriages, the date of the marriage, the place of marriage, the name, residence, and official station of the person by whom married, the names and the places of birth of the parties, the residence of each, the age and color of each, the condition of each, (whether single or widowed,) the occupation, the names of the parents, and the date of the record.

In the record of deaths, the date of the death, the name of the deceased, the sex, the color, the condition, (whether single, widowed, or married,) the age, the residence, the occupation, the place of death, the place of birth, the names and places of birth of the parents, the disease or cause of death, the place of burial, and the date of the record.

SECT. 2. Parents shall give notice to the clerk of their city or town of the births and deaths of their children; every householder shall give like notice of every birth and death happening in his house; the eldest person next of kin shall give such notice of the death of his kindred; the keeper of a workhouse, house of correction, prison, hospital, or almshouse, except the state almshouse, and the master or other commanding officer of a ship, shall give like notice of every birth and death happening among the persons under his charge. Whoever neglects to give such notice for the space of six months after a birth or death shall forfeit a sum not exceeding five dollars.

SECT. 3. A physician who has attended a person during his last illness shall, when requested within fifteen days after the decease of

such person, forthwith furnish for registration a certificate of the duration of the last sickness, the disease of which the person died, and the date of his decease, as nearly as he can state the same. If a physician refuses or neglects to make such certificate, he shall forfeit ten dollars to the use of the town in which he resides.

Sect. 4. Every sexton, undertaker, or other person having charge of a burial-ground, and every undertaker or superintendent of burials having charge of the funeral rites preliminary to the interment of a human body, shall forthwith obtain and return to the clerk of the city or town in which the deceased resided, or the death occurred, the facts required by this chapter to be recorded by said officer concerning the deceased, and the person making such return shall receive from his city or town the fee of twenty-five cents therefor.

Sect. 5. No human body shall be buried or removed from any city or town until a proper certificate has been given by the clerk or registrar to the undertaker, sexton, or other person performing the burial or removing the body. Such certificate shall state that the facts required by this chapter have been returned and recorded; and no clerk or registrar shall give such certificate or burial permit until the certificate of the cause of death has been obtained from the physician, if any, in attendance at the last sickness of the deceased, and placed in the hands of said clerk or registrar; and in cities and towns where there are boards of health, the certificate of the cause of death shall also be approved by such board before a permit to bury is given by the registrar or clerk. Upon application, the chairman of the board of health, or any physician employed by any city or town for such purpose, shall sign the certificate of the cause of death to the best of his knowledge and belief, if there has been no physician in attendance. He shall also sign such certificate, upon application, in case of death by dangerous contagious disease, or in any other event when the certificate of the attending physician cannot for good and sufficient reasons be early enough obtained. In case of death by violence, the medical examiner attending shall furnish the requisite medical certificate. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be punished by fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars.

Sect. 6. The boards of health of towns and the mayor and aldermen of cities shall, on or before the first day of July in each year, license a suitable number of undertakers to take charge of the funeral rites preliminary to the interment of a human body.

Sect. 7. Physicians and midwives shall on or before the fifth day of each month report to the clerk of each city and town, except Boston, a correct list of all children born therein during the month next preceding at the birth of which they were present, stating the place and date of each birth, and the parents' names.

Sect. 8. The clerk of each city and town shall give public notice that he is prepared to furnish, to all physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns under the preceding section.

Sect. 9. Any physician or midwife neglecting to report such list for ten days after it is due shall for each offence forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars.

Sect. 10. The clerk of each city and town shall annually, on or before the first day of March, transmit to the secretary of the common-

wealth certified copies of the records of the births, marriages, and deaths which have occurred therein during the year ending on the last day of the preceding December.

SECT. 11. The record of the town clerk relative to a birth, marriage, or death, shall be prima facie evidence, in legal proceedings, of the facts recorded. A certificate, signed by the town clerk for the time being, shall be admissible as evidence of such record.

SECT. 12. The clerk of each city and town, (except in such cities and towns as choose a registrar, in which cases the provisions of this section shall apply to the registrar,) for receiving or obtaining, recording, indexing, and returning the facts relating to marriages, births, and deaths occurring therein, shall be entitled to receive from the city or town for each marriage, fifteen cents; for each birth, fifty cents; for each death returned to him by the persons specified in sections two, three, and four, twenty cents for each of the first twenty entries, and ten cents for each subsequent entry; for each death not so returned, but by him obtained and recorded, thirty-five cents, as the same shall be certified by the secretary of the commonwealth; but a city or town containing more than ten thousand inhabitants may limit the aggregate compensation allowed to their clerk or registrar. He shall forfeit not less than twenty nor more than one hundred dollars for each refusal or neglect to perform any duty required of him by sections one, two, three, four, ten, twelve, fourteen, sixteen, and eighteen.

SECT. 13. The superintendent of the state almshouse shall obtain, record, and make return of the facts in relation to the births and deaths which occur in his institution, in like manner as is required of town clerks. The clerk of a town in which such almshouse is located shall, in relation to the births and deaths of persons in said almshouse, be exempt from the duties otherwise required of him by this chapter.

SECT. 14. The secretary shall at the expense of the commonwealth prepare and furnish to the clerks of the several cities and towns, and to the superintendent of the state almshouse, blank books of suitable quality and size to be used as books of record under this chapter, blank books for indexes thereto, and blank forms for returns, on paper of uniform size; and shall accompany the same with such instructions and explanations as may be necessary and useful. City and town clerks shall make such distribution of blank forms of returns furnished by the secretary as he shall direct.

SECT. 15. The secretary shall cause the returns received by him for each year to be bound together in one or more volumes with indexes thereto. He shall prepare from the returns such tabular results as will render them of practical utility, make report thereof annually to the general court, and do all other acts necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this chapter.

SECT. 16. A city or town containing more than ten thousand inhabitants may choose a person other than the clerk to be registrar, who shall be sworn, and to whom all the provisions of this chapter concerning clerks shall apply. The returns and notices required to be made and given to clerks shall be made and given to such registrar under like penalties.

SECT. 17. The secretary of the commonwealth shall prosecute, by

an action of tort in the name of the commonwealth, for the recovery of any penalty or forfeiture imposed by sections two, three, twelve, sixteen, and eighteen.

SECT. 18. A city or town may make rules and regulations to enforce the provisions of this chapter, or to secure a more perfect registration of births, marriages, and deaths therein.

[Public Statutes — Chapter 145.]

OF MARRIAGE.

CERTAIN MARRIAGES PROHIBITED.

SECTION 1. No man shall marry his mother, grandmother, daughter, granddaughter, step-mother, sister, grandfather's wife, son's wife, grandson's wife, wife's mother, wife's grandmother, wife's daughter, wife's granddaughter, brother's daughter, sister's daughter, father's sister, or mother's sister.

SECT. 2. No woman shall marry her father, grandfather, son, grandson, step-father, brother, grandmother's husband, daughter's husband, granddaughter's husband, husband's father, husband's grandfather, husband's son, husband's grandson, brother's son, sister's son, father's brother, or mother's brother.

SECT. 3. In all cases in which the relationship mentioned in the two preceding sections is founded on marriage, the prohibition shall continue notwithstanding the dissolution by death or divorce of the marriage on which such relationship is founded, unless the divorce is for a cause which shows such marriage to have been originally unlawful or void.

SECT. 4. All marriages contracted while either of the parties has a former wife or husband living, except as is provided in chapter one hundred and forty-six, shall be void.

SECT. 5. No insane person or idiot shall be capable of contracting marriage.

SECT. 6. No magistrate or minister shall solemnize a marriage, when he has reasonable cause to suppose the male to be under the age of twenty-one years or the female to be under the age of eighteen years, except with the consent of the parent or guardian having the custody of the minor, if there is any such parent or guardian in the commonwealth competent to act.

SECT. 7. Every marriage, solemnized within this commonwealth, which is prohibited on account of consanguinity or affinity between the parties, or on account of either of them having a former wife or husband living, or when either party was insane or an idiot, shall be void without a decree of divorce or other legal process.

SECT. 8. Every marriage solemnized when either party was under the age of consent shall be similarly void, if the parties separate during such nonage, and do not afterwards cohabit.

SECT. 9. The validity of a marriage shall not be questioned in the

trial of a collateral issue on account of the insanity or idiocy of either party, but such question shall only be raised in a process instituted to test such validity in the lifetime of both parties.

SECT. 10. When persons resident in this commonwealth, in order to evade any of the provisions of the first five sections of this chapter, and with an intention of returning to reside in this commonwealth, go into another state or country and there have their marriage solemnized, and afterwards return and reside here, the marriage shall be deemed void in this commonwealth.

SECT. 11. When the validity of a marriage is doubted, either party may file a libel for annulling such marriage, or, when the validity of a marriage is denied or doubted by either party, the other party may file a libel for affirming the same. Such libel shall be filed in the same manner as a libel for divorce, and all the provisions of chapter one hundred and forty-six relative to libels for divorce, and section twenty-four of said chapter relative to the powers of the court in relation thereto, shall, so far as applicable, apply to libels under this section. Upon proof of the nullity or validity of the marriage, it shall be declared void or affirmed by a decree of the court, and such decree of nullity may be made notwithstanding the marriage was solemnized out of the commonwealth, if the libellant had his domicil in the commonwealth when the marriage was solemnized and also when the libel was filed, and such decree affirming a marriage shall be conclusive upon all persons concerned.

LEGITIMACY, CARE, ETC., OF ISSUE OF VOID MARRIAGES.

SECT. 12. The issue of a marriage declared void on account of consanguinity or affinity between the parties shall be deemed to be illegitimate.

SECT. 13. The issue of a marriage declared void on account of the nonage, insanity, or idiocy of either party shall be deemed to be the legitimate issue of the parent who was capable of contracting the marriage.

SECT. 14. When a marriage is declared void on account of a prior marriage of either party, and it appears that the second marriage was contracted in good faith and with the full belief of the parties that the former husband or wife was dead, that fact shall be stated in the decree, and the issue of the second marriage, born or begotten before the commencement of the suit, shall be deemed to be the legitimate issue of the parent capable of contracting the marriage.

SECT. 15. Upon or after a decree of nullity the court shall have similar power to make orders concerning the care, custody, and maintenance of the minor children of the parties as upon a decree of divorce.

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF MARRIAGE.

SECT. 16. Persons intending to be joined in marriage in this commonwealth shall before their marriage cause notice of their intention to be entered in the office of the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which they respectively dwell, or, if they do not dwell within the

commonwealth, in the office of the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which they propose to have the marriage solemnized. If there is no such clerk or registrar in the place of their residence, the entry shall be made in an adjoining city or town.

SECT. 17. The clerk or registrar shall deliver to the parties a certificate under his hand, specifying the time when notice of the intention of marriage was entered with him, together with all facts in relation to the marriage which are required by law to be ascertained and recorded, except those respecting the person by whom the marriage is to be solemnized. Such certificate shall be delivered to the minister or magistrate before whom the marriage is to be contracted, before he proceeds to solemnize the same.

SECT. 18. If a clerk or registrar issues such certificate to a male under the age of twenty-one years, or to a female under the age of eighteen years, when he has reasonable cause to suppose the person to be under such age, except upon the application or consent in writing of the parent, master, or guardian of such person, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars; but if there is no parent, master, or guardian in this commonwealth competent to act, a certificate may be issued without such application or consent.

SECT. 19. The clerk or registrar may require of any person applying for such certificate an affidavit setting forth the age of the parties; which affidavit shall be sworn to before a justice of the peace, and shall be sufficient proof of age to authorize the issuing of the certificate.

SECT. 20. Whoever, when applying for such a certificate, wilfully makes a false statement in relation to the age, residence, parent, master, or guardian of either of the parties intending marriage, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding two hundred dollars.

SECT. 21. When a marriage is solemnized in another state between parties living in this commonwealth, and they return to dwell here, they shall within seven days after their return file with the clerk or registrar of the city or town where either of them lived at the time a certificate or declaration of their marriage, including the facts concerning marriages required by law; and for every neglect so to do they shall forfeit ten dollars.

BY WHOM AND HOW MARRIAGE MAY BE SOLEMNIZED.

SECT. 22. A marriage may be solemnized by a justice of the peace or by a minister of the gospel, ordained according to the usage of his denomination, who resides in the commonwealth and continues to perform the functions of his office; but every marriage shall be solemnized in the city or town in which the person solemnizing it resides, or in which one or both of the persons to be married reside.

SECT. 23. A marriage among the people called Friends or Quakers may be solemnized in the manner heretofore used and practised in their societies.

SECT. 24. Every justice of the peace, minister, and clerk or keeper of the records of a meeting wherein marriages among Friends or Quakers are solemnized shall make a record of each marriage solemnized before him, or in such meeting, and of all facts relating to the marriage which are required by law to be recorded. He shall

also, between the first and tenth days of each month, return a copy of all such records for the month next preceding to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the marriage was solemnized, and shall, when one or both of the parties to the marriage resided in a city or town other than that in which the marriage was solemnized, return a copy of the record of such marriage to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which either party resided, and to the clerks or registrars of both cities or towns when the parties resided in different places. All marriages so returned shall be recorded by the clerk or registrar, and every person neglecting to make the returns required by this section shall forfeit for each neglect not less than twenty nor more than one hundred dollars.

SECT. 25. A justice of the peace or minister who joins persons in marriage contrary to the provisions of this chapter, knowing that the marriage is not duly authorized, shall forfeit not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars.

SECT. 26. Whoever undertakes to join persons in marriage, knowing that he is not authorized so to do, shall be imprisoned in the jail for a term not exceeding six months, or pay a fine of not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars.

SECT. 27. No marriage solemnized before a person professing to be a justice of the peace or a minister of the gospel, or solemnized in the society of Friends according to the usages of said society, shall be deemed or adjudged to be void, nor shall the validity thereof be in any way affected by want of jurisdiction or authority in such person or society, or by an omission or by informality in the manner of entering the intention of marriage, if the marriage is in other respects lawful, and is consummated with a full belief on the part of the persons so married, or of either of them, that they have been lawfully joined in marriage.

SECT. 28. Marriages solemnized in a foreign country by a consul or diplomatic agent of the United States shall be valid in this commonwealth.

EVIDENCE OF MARRIAGE.

SECT. 29. The record of a marriage, made and kept as prescribed by law by the person before whom the marriage has been solemnized, or by the clerk or registrar of a city or town, or a copy of such record duly certified, shall be received in all courts and places as presumptive evidence of such marriage.

SECT. 30. When a marriage has been solemnized by a consul or diplomatic agent of the United States, a copy of the record or a certificate from such consul or agent shall be presumptive evidence of such marriage.

SECT. 31. When the fact of marriage is required or offered to be proved before a court, evidence of the admission of such fact by the party against whom the process is instituted, or evidence of general repute or of cohabitation as married persons, or any other circumstantial or presumptive evidence from which the fact may be inferred, shall be competent.

[Public Statutes, Chapter 199.]

SECT. 17. For lawfully solemnizing and certifying a marriage, a minister or justice of the peace shall be entitled to receive one dollar and twenty-five cents.

[St. 1883, Chapter 158.]

AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE RETURNS OF BIRTHS BY PHYSICIANS AND MIDWIVES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section seven of chapter thirty-two of the Public Statutes is amended so as to read as follows: "Section 7. Physicians and midwives shall, on or before the fifth day of each month, report to the clerk of each city or town, except Boston, a correct list of all children, born therein during the month next preceding, at whose birth they were present, stating the date and place of each birth, the name of the child (if it has any), the sex and color of the child, the name, place of birth and residence of the parents, and the occupation of the father. The fee of the physician or midwife shall be twenty-five cents for each birth so reported, and shall be paid by the city or town in which the report is made."

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved May 3, 1883.*

LAWS CONCERNING DIVORCE.

[Public Statutes, Chapter 146.]

CAUSES FOR DIVORCE.

SECTION 1. A divorce from the bond of matrimony may be decreed for adultery, impotency, extreme cruelty, utter desertion continued for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of the libel, gross and confirmed habits of intoxication, cruel and abusive treatment, or, on the libel of the wife, when the husband, being of sufficient ability, grossly or wantonly and cruelly refuses or neglects to provide suitable maintenance for her.

SECT. 2. Such divorce may also be decreed when either party has separated from the other without his or her consent and has united with a religious sect or society that professes to believe the relation of husband and wife void or unlawful, and has continued united with such sect or society for three years, refusing during that term to cohabit with the other party; or when either party has been sentenced to confinement at hard labor for life or for five years or more in the state prison or in a jail or house of correction; and after a divorce for such cause, no pardon granted to the party so sentenced shall restore such party to his or her conjugal rights.

SECT. 3. When a divorce from bed and board under laws heretofore in force or a divorce nisi has been decreed and the parties have lived separately for three consecutive years next after the decree, a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed upon the petition of the party in whose favor the previous decree was granted; and when the parties have lived separately for five consecutive years next after such decree, a divorce from the bond of matrimony may be decreed in favor of either party.

SECT. 4. Except as provided in the following section, no divorce shall be decreed if the parties have never lived together as husband and wife in the commonwealth; nor shall a divorce be decreed for a cause occurring in another state or country, unless, before such cause occurred, the parties had lived together as husband and wife in the commonwealth, and one of them lived in the commonwealth at the time when the cause occurred.

SECT. 5. When the libellant has resided in the commonwealth for five years next preceding the filing of the libel, or, if the parties were inhabitants of the commonwealth at the time of their marriage, when the libellant has been such an inhabitant for three years next preceding such filing, a divorce may be decreed for any cause allowed by law, whether it occurred in the commonwealth or elsewhere, unless it appears that the libellant has removed into the commonwealth for the purpose of obtaining a divorce.

LIBELS FOR DIVORCE.

SECT. 6. Libels for divorce shall be heard and determined in the supreme judicial court held for a county in which one of the parties lives, except that, when the libellant has left the county in which the parties have lived together, the adverse party still living therein, the libel shall be heard and determined in the court held for that county.

SECT. 7. Every such libel shall be signed by the libellant, if of sound mind and of legal age to consent to marriage; otherwise it may be signed by the guardian of the libellant or by a person admitted by the court to prosecute the libel as his or her next friend.

SECT. 8. The libel may be presented to the supreme judicial court or to a justice thereof in any county, in term time or vacation, or it may be filed in the office of the clerk of said court in vacation.

SECT. 9. The court, justice, or clerk may order the adverse party to be summoned to appear and answer at the court having jurisdiction of the cause, by the publication of the libel or of the substance thereof, with the order thereon, in one or more newspapers to be designated in the order, or by delivering to such party an attested copy of the libel and a summons, or in such other manner as may seem most proper and effectual; but when such order is made by a clerk, the court or any justice thereof may order such additional notice to be given as may seem proper.

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SECT. 18. The court before which a libel for divorce is pending may, without entering a decree of divorce, cause the libel to be continued upon the docket from time to time, and during such continuance may make such orders and decrees concerning a temporary

separation of the parties, the separate maintenance of the wife, and the custody and support of minor children, as in its judgment the interests of the parties and the necessities of the case demand, and such orders and decrees may be changed or annulled as the court may determine, and any orders or decrees of said court under this section shall, while they are in force, supersede any order or decree of the probate court under section thirty-three of chapter one hundred and forty-seven, and may suspend the right of said court to act under said section.

SECT. 19.* All decrees of divorce shall in the first instance be decrees nisi, to become absolute after the expiration of six months from the entry thereof, on application of either party to the clerk of the court, and on such application the clerk shall enter a final decree, unless the court has for sufficient cause, on application of any party interested, otherwise ordered.

SECT. 20. No libel for divorce on the ground of desertion shall be defeated by a temporary return or other act done by the party deserting, if it appears that such return or other act was not made or done in good faith, but with the intent to defeat the obtaining of a divorce by the other party.

RESUMPTION OF FORMER NAME BY WIFE.

SECT. 21. The court upon granting a divorce to a woman may allow her to resume her maiden name or the name of any former husband.

RIGHT TO MARRY AGAIN.

SECT 22. After a divorce from the bond of matrimony either party may marry again as if the other were dead, except that the party against whom the divorce was granted shall not marry within two years from the time of the entry of the final decree of divorce.

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FOREIGN DIVORCES.

SECT. 41. A divorce decreed in another state or country according to the laws thereof, and by a court having jurisdiction of the cause and of both the parties, shall be valid and effectual in this commonwealth; but when an inhabitant of this commonwealth goes into another state or country to obtain a divorce for a cause which occurred here while the parties resided here, or for a cause which would not authorize a divorce by the laws of this commonwealth, a divorce so obtained shall be of no force or effect in this commonwealth.

CRIMINAL PROVISIONS.

SECT. 42. If persons divorced from the bond of matrimony cohabit as husband or wife or live together in the same house, they shall be deemed to be guilty of adultery.

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* Amended by chapter 223 on opposite page.

[St. 1882, Chapter 194.]

AN ACT CONCERNING STATISTICS OF DIVORCE.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The clerks of courts for the several counties, and of the supreme judicial court for the county of Suffolk, shall, annually, during the month of February, make returns to the secretary of the Commonwealth in relation to libels for divorce in their respective counties for the calendar year next preceding. Such returns shall specify the following details: the number of libels pending at the beginning of the year; the number of libels filed within the year; the number of divorces granted; the number of divorces refused; the number of libels contested; the number of libels uncontested; the alleged cause for divorce in each case; the sex of the libellant and the length of time the parties have been married; and the number of cases in which notice has been given to the district-attorney for prosecution under section forty-four of chapter one hundred and forty-six of the Public Statutes, and the criminal offence for which divorce has been granted in such cases.

SECT. 2. The secretary shall furnish the said clerks of courts with suitable blank forms for the returns provided for in the preceding section.

SECT. 3. The secretary shall annually prepare from said returns full and complete abstracts and tabular statements of the facts relating to divorces for each county, and embody such abstracts and statements, with necessary analyses, in the annual reports to the legislature relating to the registry of births, deaths and marriages.

SECT. 4. The first return to be made under this act shall include the details specified in section one, so far as practicable, for the years eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, eighteen hundred and eighty, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, and eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved May 1, 1882.*

[St. 1882, Chapter 223.]

AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAKING AND ENTERING OF DECREES OF DIVORCE.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section nineteen of chapter one hundred and forty-six of the Public Statutes is amended so as to read as follows: "Section 19. All decrees of divorce shall in the first instance be decrees *nisi*, to become absolute after the expiration of six months from the entry thereof, without further notice thereof by publication or otherwise, on application of either party to the court, or any justice thereof, in term time or vacation; and on such application the court or justice shall make a final decree, unless the court has for sufficient cause, on application of any party interested, otherwise ordered."

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved May 15, 1882.*

[Stat. 1884. Chapter 219.]

AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE IN CASES OF LONG AND UNEXPLAINED ABSENCE OF THE LIBELLEE.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. A divorce from the bond of matrimony may be decreed for any of the causes allowed by law, notwithstanding the fact that the libellee has been continuously absent for such a period of time and under such circumstances as would raise a presumption of death.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved May 8, 1884.*

[Stat. 1885. Chapter 379.]

AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section nine of chapter twenty-six of the Public Statutes is amended to read as follows: — *Section 9.* In the county of Suffolk each medical examiner shall receive from the treasurer of the county, in full for all services performed by him, a salary of three thousand dollars a year, and the associate medical examiner a salary of five hundred dollars; but if the said associate medical examiner serves in any year more than two months, at the request of either medical examiner, he shall, for such service in excess of two months, be paid at the same rate as such medical examiner, and such compensation shall be deducted from the salary of the medical examiner in whose stead he serves. The medical examiners in other counties shall receive fees as follows: For a view without an autopsy, five dollars; for a view and autopsy, thirty dollars; and for travel, at the rate of ten cents a mile to and from the place of view.

SECT. 2. When a medical examiner deems it necessary to have a physician present at an autopsy as one of the witnesses, as provided in section eleven of chapter twenty-six of the Public Statutes, such physician shall be allowed five dollars for his services. Other witnesses required by law to be present at an autopsy shall be allowed two dollars each.

SECT 3. Every medical examiner shall, annually, on or before the first day of March, transmit to the secretary of the Commonwealth certified copies of the records of all deaths which have occurred during the year ending on the last day of the preceding December, the cause and manner of which he has investigated, in accordance with the requirements of chapter twenty-six of the Public Statutes: *provided, however*, if the term of office of any medical examiner shall end before the said last day of December, he shall send to the secretary of the Commonwealth, within the sixty days next ensuing upon the expiration of his commission as a medical examiner, certified copies of the records of all deaths officially investigated by him during that part of the then current calendar year in which he continued in office.

SECT. 4. Each medical examiner shall be entitled to receive from the treasury of the Commonwealth, for recording and returning the facts relating to deaths as herein provided, twenty cents for each of the first twenty entries, and ten cents for each subsequent entry in any year, as certified by the secretary of the Commonwealth, and such allowance and payment shall be made to the medical examiners in Suffolk County for record and returns pursuant to this section, notwithstanding the limitation to the salary fixed by section nine of chapter twenty-six of the Public Statutes as amended by this act. Any medical examiner shall forfeit not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars for each refusal or neglect to fulfil the requirements of section three of this act.

SECT. 5. The secretary shall, at the expense of the Commonwealth, prepare and furnish to the several medical examiners, blank books of suitable quality and size, to be used as books of record under this act, and blank forms for returns, on paper of uniform size.

SECT. 6. The secretary shall cause the returns received by him for each year, in accordance with this act, to be bound together in one volume, with indexes thereto; he shall prepare or cause to be prepared from the said returns such tabular results as will render them of practical utility, and shall make report thereof annually to the general court in connection with the report of the registry and return of births, marriages and deaths required by section fifteen of chapter thirty-two of the Public Statutes.

SECT. 7. Every medical examiner shall forthwith file with the district attorney of his district, a report of each autopsy made by him and of his view and personal inquiry in such case under the provisions of chapter twenty-six of the Public Statutes; and shall certify in such report that, in his judgment, the cause and manner of death could not be ascertained by view and inquiry, and that an autopsy was necessary for that purpose. The district attorney shall examine such report, and if of the opinion that such autopsy was necessary shall, except in the county of Suffolk, so certify to the county commissioners, having jurisdiction over the place where the autopsy is held, and no fee for any autopsy shall be certified by the commissioners for payment until such certificate by the district attorney shall have been filed with said commissioners.

SECT. 8. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved June 19, 1885.*

[Chapter 124.]

AN ACT RELATING TO THE REMOVAL AND THE TRANSPORTATION OF CERTAIN BODIES FOR BURIAL.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section five of chapter thirty-two of the Public Statutes, relating to the burial or removal of bodies for burial, is amended by inserting in the eleventh line thereof, after the word "bury," the words "or remove."

SECTION 2. No railroad corporation, or other common carrier or

person, shall convey or cause to be conveyed, through or from any city or town in this Commonwealth, the remains of any person who has died of small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, or typhoid fever, until such body has been so encased and prepared as to preclude any danger of communicating the disease to others by its transportation; and no local registrar or clerk shall give a permit for the removal of such body until he has received from the board of health of the city, or the selectmen of the town where the death occurred, a certificate, stating the cause of death, and that said body has been prepared in the manner set forth in this section, which certificate shall be delivered to the agent or person who receives the body.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved April 11, 1883.*

STATISTICAL NOSOLOGY.

ADOPTED FOR REGISTRATION IN MASSACHUSETTS.

The following plan of a Nomenclature and Classification of Diseases does not essentially differ from that authorized by the Registrar-General of England to be used in the preparation of the "Weekly Return of Births and Deaths in London," and is also, with slight modifications, identical with that embodied in a report drawn up by William Farr, Esq., M.D., of London, for the consideration of the International Statistical Congress which met at Paris in September, 1855; which report was printed in the Appendix to the Sixteenth Registration Report of the Registrar-General, England.

[NOTE. — This page and those that follow contain two lists of causes of death. The first — that on the left side — may be called the TABULAR LIST, and comprises all the heads which it is proposed to admit into the complete tables (IX. and X.), and under which ALL deaths, from whatever cause, are finally distributed. It represents those diseases which, under the same terms, or terms strictly synonymous with them, are found in practice to occur most frequently.

The SUPPLEMENTAL LIST is *subordinate* to the first, and contains the principal *special* diseases which it may be considered desirable to note. The figures in this list indicate the corresponding numbers of the tabular list under which such diseases are ultimately arranged.

Table VIII. includes both the Tabular and Supplemental lists; Tables IX. and X. the Tabular list only.]

CAUSES OF DEATH.

TABULAR LIST.	SUPPLEMENTAL LIST. *Of Diseases of Special Character (or Synonymes.)*
CLASS I. — ZYMOTIC DISEASES.	
ORDER 1. — *Miasmatic.*	
I. 1. — 1. Small-pox	I. 1. — 1. Vaccination not stated. Small-pox (second attack). After vaccination. Erysipelas, &c., after vaccination. Chicken-pox Miliaria.
2. Measles	
3. Scarlatina	3. Angina maligna.
4. Diphtheria	
5. Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	5. "Spotted fever."
6. Quinsy	6. Mumps. Tonsilitis.
7. Croup	
8. Whooping Cough	
9. Typhoid (and Infantile Fever)	9 Typhus fever
10. Erysipelas	10. Pyemia. Hospital gangrene. Erythema.
11. Metria (Puerperal Fever)	11. Childbed fever.
12. Carbuncle	12. Anthrax.
13. Influenza	
14. Dysentery	
15. Diarrhœa	
16. Cholera Infantum	
17. Cholera	
18. Ague	18. Intermittent fever
19. Remittent Fever	19. Yellow fever.
20. Rheumatism	20. Rheumatism, with pericarditis, or disease of heart.

CAUSES OF DEATH.

TABULAR LIST.	SUPPLEMENTAL LIST.
ORDER 2. — *Enthetic.*	
I. 2. — 1. Syphilis	I. 2. — 1. Gonorrhœa. Purulent ophthalmia. 6. Necusia (usually from dissection wounds).
2. Stricture of Urethra	
3. Hydrophobia	
4. Glanders	
5. Malignant Pustule	
6. Septicæmia	
ORDER 3. — *Dietic.*	
I. 3. — 1. Privation	I. 3. — 1. Want of breast milk. 2. Rickets. Bronchocele.
2. Purpura and Scurvy	
3. Delirium Tremens, } (Alcoholism)	
4. Intemperance, } (Alcoholism)	
ORDER 4. — *Parasitic.*	
I. 4. — 1. Thrush	I. 4. — 2. Porrigo. Scabies. Tape worm. Hydatids. Trichiniasis.
2. Worms, &c.	
CLASS II. — CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.	
ORDER 1. — *Diathetic.*	
II. 1. — 1. Gout	II. 1. — 3. Leucocythæmia 4. Soft cancer. Epithelioma. Sweeps' cancer. Melanosis Other kinds of cancer. Polypus (part not stated). Lupus. 6. Bed-sore. Dry gangrene.
2. Dropsy	
3. Anæmia	
4. Cancer	
5. Noma (Canker)	
6. Mortification	
ORDER 2. — *Tubercular.*	
II. 2. — 1. Scrofula	II. 2. — 1. Psoas (Lumbar) abscess. White swelling. Cretinism (Goitre). Adenitis, Cellulitis. 2. Tubercular peritonitis. 3. Hæmoptysis. 4. Tubercular meningitis.
2. Tabes Mesenterica	
3. Phthisis (Consumption of Lungs)	
4. Hydrocephalus	
CLASS III. — LOCAL DISEASES.	
ORDER 1. — *Nervous System.*	
III. 1. — 1. Cephalitis	III. 1. — 1. Phrenitis. Myelitis. 4. Monomania Fright. Grief. Melancholia. Rage. 6. Hysteria. 8. Laryngismus stridulus. 9. Neuralgia. Ophthalmia. Otitis. Dis. of spinal nerve. Necrencephalus (Ramollissement).
2. Apoplexy	
3. Paralysis	
4. Insanity	
5. Chorea	
6. Epilepsy	
7. Tetanus	
8. Convulsions	
9. *Brain Diseases,* &c.*	

* Other diseases of the brain, or diseases of the nervous system, *not otherwise distinguished*, are referred to this head. ***Mutatis mutandis***, the note applies to the corresponding heads in other orders of this class.

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TABULAR LIST.	SUPPLEMENTAL LIST.
CLASS III. — (CONTINUED.)	
ORDER 2. — *Organs of Circulation.*	
III. 2. — 1. Pericarditis *	III. 2. — 1. Carditis. Endocarditis 3. Hypertrophia. Angina pectoris. Syncope. Arteritis. Phlebitis. Hydropericardium.
2. Aneurism	
3. *Heart Diseases, &c.*	
ODRER 3. — *Respiratory Organs.*	
III. 3. — 1. Epistaxis	III. 3. — 2. Œdema glottidis. 4. Empyema. Hydrothorax. Diaphragmitis. Pneumothorax. 5. Pulmonary apoplexy. 6. Grinders' asthma. Miners' asthma. Emphysema.
2. Laryngitis	
3. Bronchitis	
4. Pleurisy	
5. Pneumonia	
6. Asthma	
7. *Lung Diseases, &c.*	
ORDER 4. — *Digestive Organs.*	
III. 4. — 1. Gastritis	III. 4. — 1. Glossitis. Stomatitis. Pharyngitis. Œsophagitis. 5. Perforation of — 6. Congenital. Femoral. Inguinal. Scrotal. Umbilical. Ventral. 7. Constipation. 9. Strict. œsophagus. 11. Dyspepsia. Pyrosis. Gastralgia Hæmatemesis. Melæna Hæmorrhoids. 14. Gall-stones. 15. Cirrhosis.
2. Enteritis	
3. Peritonitis	
4. Ascites	
5. Ulceration of Intestines	
6. Hernia	
7. Ileus	
8. Intussusception	
9. Stricture of Intestines	
10. Fistula	
11. *Stomach Diseases, &c.*	
12. *Pancreas Disease, &c.*	
13. Hepatitis	
14. Jaundice	
15. *Liver Disease, &c.*	
16. *Spleen Disease, &c.*	
ORDER 5. — *Urinary Organs.*	
III. 5. — 1. Nephritis	III. 5. — 3. Albuminuria. 6. Cystirrhœa. 7. Diuresis. Hæmaturia. Dis. of prostate. Dis. of bladder.
2. Ischuria	
3. Nephria (Bright's Disease)	
4. Diabetes	
5. Calculus (Gravel, &c.)	
6. Cystitis	
7. *Kidney Disease, &c.*	
ORDER 6. — *Generative Organs.*	
III. 6. — 1. Ovarian Dropsy	III. 6. — 1. Ovarian tumor. 2. Hysteritis, Metritis (inflammation of womb). Uterine tumor. Polypus uteri. Orchitis. Hydrocele.
2. *Disease of Uterus, &c.*	

* [See also I. 1.—20.]

CAUSES OF DEATH.

TABULAR LIST.	SUPPLEMENTAL LIST.
CLASS III. — (CONTINUED.)	
ORDER 7. — *Organs of Locomotion.*	
III. 7. — 1. Arthritis	III. 7. — 1. Ostitis. Perlostitis.
2. *Joint Disease, &c.*	2. Fragilitas ossium Mollities ossium. Caries. Necrosis. Exostosis. Hip disease. Spine disease.
ORDER 8. — *Integumentary System.*	
III. 8. — 1. Phlegmon	III. 8. — 1. Abscess (part not stated). Boil. Whitlow.
2. Ulcer	3. Roseola. Urticaria. Eczema. Herpes. Pemphigus. Ecthyma. Impetigo. Psoriasis, &c.
3. *Skin Diseases, &c.*	
CLASS IV. — DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.	
ORDER 1. — *Developmental Diseases of Children.*	
IV. 1. — 1. Still-born	IV. 1. — 2. Atelectasis.
2. Premature Birth, and Infantile Debility	5. Anus imperforatus. Cleft palate. Idiocy.
3. Cyanosis	
4. Spina Bifida	
5. Other Malformations . .	
6. Teething	
ORDER 2. — *Developmental Diseases of Women.*	
IV. 2. — 1. Paramenia	IV. 2. — 1. Chlorosis. Climacteria. Menorrhagia
2. Childbirth. (See Metria I. 1.—9.)	2. Miscarriage. Abortion. Puerperal mania. Puerperal convulsions. Phlegmasia dolens. Cæsarian operation. Extra-uterine fœtation. Flooding. Retention of placenta. Presentation of placenta Deformed pelvis, Breast abscess.
ORDER 3. — *Developmental Diseases of Old People.*	
IV. 3 — 1. Old Age	
ORDER 4. — *Diseases of Nutrition.*	
IV. 4. — Atrophy and Debility . . .	

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CLASS V. — VIOLENT DEATHS.	
ORDER 1. — *Accident or Negligence.*	
V. 1. — 1. Fractures and Contusions . .	V. 1. — 1. Railroad accidents.
2. Wounds	5. Lost at sea.
3. Burns and Scalds . . .	6. Asphyxia.
4. Poison	Strangulation.
5. Drowning	7. Exposure.
6. Suffocation	Cold water.
7. Otherwise *	Frozen.
8. "Casualty" †	Heat.
	Lightning.
	Surgical operation.
ORDER 2. — *Battle.*	
ORDER 3. — *Homicide.*	
ORDER 4. — *Suicide.*	
V. 4. — 1. Wounds	
2. Poison	
3. Drowning	
4. Hanging	
5. Otherwise	
ORDER 5. — *Execution.*	
V. 5. — 1. Hanging	
Sudden, cause unascertained . .	

NOTE. — Cases of "infantile fever" are classed with typhoid, relapsing and other continued fevers, under one name, "typhoid fever;" of "rheumatic fever," with "rheumatism;" of "hemorrhage," and "abscess," with the diseases of the part affected (if that is stated, as it should always be, in the return). As "stricture of the urethra" is almost invariably the result of gonorrhœa, it is classed as I. 2. — 2. All cases of death returned "unknown," or of which the cause is not stated, and cases of "tumor," "inflammation," or "hemorrhage," of which the locality or part affected is not mentioned, are classed as unknown, and therefore not included in the foregoing table of specified causes.

* Manner stated. † Manner not stated; return therefore imperfect.